

## FAINT PEAL OF LIBERTY BELL SOUNDS LAST APPEAL TO THE NATION TO BUY LIBERTY BONDS

Touched With Golden Hammer by Mayor Smith at Philadelphia, America's Most Revered Relic Resounded, by Telegraph, Throughout the Country, Bells In Every City and Town Taking Up the Echo; Loan Still Undersubscribed.

## LIBERTY BANKS OVERWHELMED BY LAST MINUTE RUSH

PHILADELPHIA, June 14.—A faint peal from the Liberty bell in Independence Hall reverberated, with the aid of the telegraph from the Atlantic to the Pacific today when Mayor Smith struck America's most revered relic with a golden hammer to all last minute subscribers to the service of the nation.

This eleventh hour appeal to tardy Americans is expected to be the signal for an advance of late subscriptions which will versubscribe the government's entire war loan of two billion.

After the old relic was tapped at noon the sound was to be taken up by churches, schools and factories from ocean to ocean.

**LIBERTY LOAN STILL ABOUT \$500,000,000 UNDESCRIBED.**

WASHINGTON, June 14.—In the 24 hours before the Liberty Bond sale closes the sum probably between 200,000,000 and 300,000,000 must be subscribed to raise the loan to the 2,000,000,000 mark. The last figures compiled at the Treasury Department state that with the exception of New York the country's subscriptions have fallen 30 per cent below the minimum allotment fixed.

Reports that the closing hour at noon tomorrow would be extended were denied emphatically today.

**EMPLOYEES QUIT WHEN THEIR MANAGER WON'T BUY BOND.**

TAMPA, Fla., June 14.—Decade-long Kreber, general manager of the Tampa Engineering & Shipbuilding company refused to buy a Liberty Bond 150 employees quit today, taking up shop elsewhere. The Rotary club, which is conducting a campaign for loan subscriptions, sent a committee to Kreber yesterday, and he said he told them that while an American citizen, he would not pay a cent for the war against his relatives and friends in Germany. When the committee returned they said that Kreber said nearly all the employees of his plant had walked out.

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WASHINGTON, June 14.—Subscriptions to the Liberty Bond reported at P. M. totaled \$1,845,000,000. It was announced that no more figures would be given until final figures are assembled tomorrow noon.

**CLEVELAND DISTRICT PASSES \$1 MILLION MARK.**

CLEVELAND, June 14.—Cleveland reached the \$1,000,000 mark this morning in the Liberty bond campaign. Managers predicted that the \$2,000,000 mark would be passed by tomorrow. Cleveland's maximum mark was \$45,000,000.

**LIBERTY BANKS OVERWHELMED BY LAST MINUTE RUSH.**

Every employee of the Connellsville postoffice has subscribed to the Liberty Bond sale. There are 30 employees, and as each one has taken from one to 10 bonds, the local office has a record which it is believed will be unequalled in any other postoffice throughout the country.

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The total amount of bonds taken at the postoffice is \$1,000. Not a single clerk or employee refused to take a bond. The entire scheme was worked up by Assistant Postmaster Thomas B. Hyatt.

The \$1,000 subscribed by the postoffice people will materially swell Connellsville's total subscription to the war loan.

**LIBERTY BANKS OVERWHELMED BY LAST MINUTE RUSH.**

The Liberty bond sale in this city had mounted to such a high total this morning that many of the banks were unable to even estimate what amount had been subscribed.

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At the First National, the clerks did not take any morning it seemed but taking care of Liberty bond subscriptions. They could not find time to ascertain the total, but estimated it at \$115,000.

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At the Second National there was another flood of new bond buyers. The buyers fairly halted all other business. The Second will likely be one of the banks on the national honor roll, since subscriptions received through it total 10 per cent of the bank's resources.

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Other banks had rather large increases, too. The Title & Trust company sold several thousand dollars worth of bonds, and its total is now between \$40,000 and \$50,000. The Citizens' National is now \$14,000, an increase of \$1,600 over yesterday. The Young Trust jumped from \$30,000 to \$40,000 during the day.

**LIBERTY BANKS OVERWHELMED BY LAST MINUTE RUSH.**

The Colonial National has already sent its subscription of \$15,000, and the Union National total remains at \$15,000.

The Wright-McNeil company employees have subscribed \$1,500 to the Liberty loan. The Connellsville store took up \$2,000, the Uniontown store \$2,000. The bonds were mostly the \$100 denominations. They will be purchased by the company and transferred to the employees on small weekly payments.

**LIBERTY BANKS OVERWHELMED BY LAST MINUTE RUSH.**

The Federal Reserve bank has arranged for the purchase of \$1,500 worth of Liberty bonds for its employees through the Young Trust company. Arrangements

## WILDER PLANT IS SAVED TO CITY BY CITIZENS' ACTION

Business Men Decide to Pay \$1,800 Interest on Firm's Investment.

## TO BUY OLD SAFE WORKS

Rather Than Lose Metal Coating Plant, Which Has Great Possibilities, Decision Is Reached to Provide Financial Assistance for Industry.

Connellsville merchants and professional men will pay \$1,800 to keep the plant of the Wilder Metal Coating & Manufacturing company here. The Wilder concern is to purchase the old works of the Pittsburgh Safe company, in South Connellsville, adjacent to where stood the old Wilder plant, recently burned down. The price is \$20,000; \$10,000 is to be paid cash, and the rest in payments of \$2,000 a year, for five years. The \$1,800 which the merchants must pay to keep the concern in Connellsville is the interest on this second \$10,000.

John Wilder, president of the company, speaking to members of the Business & Professional Men's association which met yesterday afternoon in its rooms in the First National bank building, said that after the firm had paid \$20,000 for a new site, when, really, not more than \$15,000 should be spent, he did not feel that the additional interest should be shouldered by the company. Besides, it will cost some \$4,000 or \$5,000 to remodel and repair the safe works.

Immediately after the plant burned down, other cities began to offer sites for the erection of a new plant to the company. Scotland wanted the industry, and offered \$15,000 for it. Uniontown, too, would have provided for the building of a mill there. Clarkburg, W. Va., made the best proposition of all, according to John Wilder. Two sites were proposed, one in South Bend, Ind., the other in Cleveland, O. Another site was proposed in Battle Creek, Mich., and a \$15,000 building. Both Mr. Wilder and P. A. Kall, the principal stockholder, however, wanted to stay in Connellsville for sentimental reasons. After looking around for suitable locations, they found that the old safe works was the only place. They decided that if they could get this building for \$15,000, they would stay here. The Sherrick & Cochran interests, owners of the place, however, asked \$27,000, and the deal was about to fall through when P. W. Wright and Robert Norris, determined that the loss of this small but growing industry to the town would not be allowed, took the matter up. The owners finally came down to \$20,000, though they declared that they had lost \$35,000 in Connellsville and hated to lose much more, and Mr. Wilder consented to pay this, provided the interest was paid by the merchants.

The Wilder firm started in 1903. Three years ago, when John Wilder became president, there was an indebtedness of \$25,000. This had been entirely paid off and the first dividend was to be paid, when the disastrous fire completely destroyed the plant. Sheet metal is shipped in here, coated with aluminum and shipped out again to be used for the lining of gas stoves and ranges. There is practically no competition, and, as W. S. Leche said, the business has unlimited possibilities for development. The coating of wire, making it practically indestructible, was also one of the directions in which the plant could branch out in time. About 20 men have been employed regularly, and the monthly payroll totals \$1,500, for a great deal, Mr. Wilder said, but coming entirely from outside of Connellsville.

President Wright of the association, who presented the proposition to the meeting yesterday, with Mr. Norris had prepared a list of ratings for the merchants of town and others which was read. Everyone present was enthusiastic and all declared their ratings. O. K., except from one who declared they would pay double what had been allotted as their share. One man wrote a check for a large amount at once.

The Wilder plant will stay in Connellsville if all are as willing to pay their shares of the total \$1,800 asked by Mr. Wilder. The ratings run from \$50 down to \$2.50, according to size of business. It is merely a tentative arrangement and anyone thinking he has been assessed too much or too little is free to say so. Conspiring committees will be appointed shortly. It is likely, to raise the desired amount.

The new Wilder plant will be in operation within two weeks, it is expected.

**INSANE MAN KILLS WIFE.**

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 13.—Fred Johnston, aged 50, instantly killed his wife today by striking her on the head with an axe while she was working in the garden of her home in Barnesboro. He had recently been released from a hospital for the insane. He made an attempt to escape after killing his wife and surrendered to the police.

**MERCURY RISES 80.**

Yesterday was a scorching, mercury climbing to 80 during the afternoon. It was the first real summer day.

## ONE DAY LEFT TO BUY YOUR LIBERTY BONDS, SO GET RUSH!

Be a patriot; buy a Liberty bond. You have only one more day to show your patriotism. If you have not done so you should subscribe for a Liberty bond. Subscriptions close at noon Friday, June 15. Your subscription may aid your country in winning the war. You do not have to be a millionaire to subscribe. You can buy a bond as low as \$50 on a partial payment plan. Any bank will aid you in subscribing. Loans are exempted from fighting you are not exempted from buying a bond. Your country calls you. Heed the call.

## GUILTY IN SECOND DEGREE, JOHNSON GETS 19 YEAR TERM

Expert Testified "Pone" Suffered From Delusional Insanity When Crime Was Committed.

Special to The Courier

UNIONTOWN, June 14.—After parts called for the defense had testified that "Pone" Johnson, on trial for the murder of Albert Somers of Uniontown on May 1, was suffering from delusional insanity at the time of the crime, commonwealth and defense agreed upon a compromise verdict of murder in the second degree at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The verdict was returned and the jury discharged. Judge Van Swearingen immediately after the verdict was returned, sentenced "Pone" Johnson to not less than 19 nor more than 20 years in the penitentiary.

Dr. E. R. Rasely testified that he made examinations of Johnson, and when attention was called to his tongue, the physician said that he is unable to protrude his tongue, which has a tremulous action and curls upon itself. "It is a stigma of degeneracy," he declared, Dr. Rasely.

The physician testified that Johnson's idealization is very slow, that it takes him from four to six seconds after a question is asked him before he can begin to answer it.

Dr. Rasely said that he believed that Johnson was suffering from delusional insanity, that he has a hallucination of seeing devils.

Upon cross examination by District Attorney S. John Morrow, Dr. Rasely said that he believed Johnson to be perfectly sincere in his ideas that he sees devils.

"Do you think, doctor, because I shot a revolver out the window, I saw devils?" District Attorney Morrow asked.

"I hope not, Mr. Morrow," replied Dr. Rasely.

Dr. P. Smith testified that he made an examination of Johnson. He said that he appeared like a person of from eight to 12 years of age in mental development.

Dr. A. S. Hagan testified to having made an examination of the defendant. "I think he is a man of undeveloped mind," declared Dr. Hagan.

## IMMENSE CROWD IN SCOTSDALE FOR BIG FLAG DAY PARADE

Delegation of Connellsville Elks, G. A. R. Company D and Hospital Corps Left.

Everything was ready this afternoon for the big celebration of Flag Day at Scottdale. The weather was fine and at 7 o'clock the indications were that the biggest crowd in the history of the town would be on hand to see the parade and hear the speechmaking at Louisa Park.

Lieutenant Governor Frank B. McChlain was met at Greensburg by a military escort. He was accompanied from Harrisburg by State Treasurer H. M. Kenhart of Connellsville.

Connellsville Elks, numbering 40, led on a special car at 12:30. A delegation of the G. A. R. also left to participate in the affair. Company D and the Hospital Corps met at the armory at noon and left on the 1:30 car.

Connellsville Elks will return to the city this evening to conduct a flag day celebration of their own.

It was expected that the parade would start about 1 o'clock. At 2:30 Mr. McChlain had not arrived in Scottdale, but was expected at any minute.

Schools in Uniontown, Connellsville and other places close for the 1916-1917 term on Friday.

## Weather Forecast.

Fair tonight and Friday, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

**Temperature Record:**

Maximum	1917 1916
Minimum	80 80
Mean	75 70

The Young river fell from 3.10 to 3.00 feet during the night.

## JAPANESE PLAY GIVEN AS CLASS DAY EXERCISES

Big Audience Attends Annual Event at Colonial Theatre Last Night.

## MISS STRUBLE THE STAR

In Leading Part She Sings Charmingly; Dewey Miller Has Principal Comedy Roles; Other Members of the Class in Minor Parts and Chorus

Class day was celebrated last night at the Colonial theatre in a way entirely different from that of other years, the exercises taking the form of a Japanese opera in two parts, "Yokohama Maid." While there was some disappointment because of the absence of the usual quips and jokes about the faculty and student body, and the lack of a class song, the audience was highly appreciative of the work of the operetta cast and chorus.

The music was tuneful, the words funny, and the opportunities for forming attractive stage pictures by the use of the Japanese-costumed chorus almost unlimited. The effectiveness of the performance was increased by the pretty stage setting, in which hundreds of Japanese lanterns were used.

Miss Louise Struble as O Sing-A-Song, a Japanese belle, had the leading part of the piece and she sang it extremely well. To Dewey Miller, who played Takeda, the mayor, fell the leading comedy role, and Miller made it a success from start to finish. Merrill Lewis was another who kept things lively on the stage. His song, "Oh, How I Long for Old Hong Kong," was the best received number of the show. A trio by Miss Struble, Dewey Miller and Harry Blitzer, who played Harry Cortesee, an American lawyer, ending up with some pretty dance steps, was also escorted half a dozen times by the chorus.

Too much praise cannot be accorded those in the minor parts. Albert Truesler, Miss Strong, William Cox, and James Carr all deserve credit. Misses Grace Pierce and Blanche Knabe, as companion and nurse, respectively, of the Japanese belle, could not have been excelled in their parts. Misses Anna Mary (Columbia and Isabel) Scott were on the stage but a short time, as American tourists.

There was the usual rush for seats when the doors were opened. At 8 o'clock there were immense crowds outside both side and front doors. Those at the side door held tickets and were admitted first. At 8:15 the second grand rush came when the doors were opened to the general public. Two floors of the theatre were filled, and the front rows of the gallery occupied, while hundreds were standing.

A big block of seats was reserved for the Juniors who rose at intervals and cheered the performers.

The success of the operetta was due in great measure to the work of a corps of high school teachers who trained the production. Miss Jean Armstrong was in general charge of the performance. Miss Ada Musser and Miss Margaret Mayo took care of the music. Miss Musser directed last evening. Miss Irene Crawford was in charge of the speaking. Miss Helen Humphrey arranged for the costumes and decorations.

Miss Betty Newberg was piano accompanist and Klier's orchestra played the score. Those in the chorus were:

Anna Mae Butler  
Violet Stuthers  
The Wack  
Helen Ward  
Mary Florence  
Marie Kriebel  
Winifred  
Nelle Woods  
Edna Raymond  
Irene Lueder  
James Arthur  
Fred Carr  
Claude Smith  
Charles Wertheimer  
David Wyant  
Charles Yaw  
Ralph Younk  
William Cox  
Nathan Crawford  
Angeline Lambert  
Louis Bowitz  
Charles Davis  
Fred Carr  
Berwyn Herbert  
Ralph Hyatt  
Julius Kienkausk  
Frank Leichter  
Ralph Leley

Altogether, "Yokohama Maid" was a big success. The high school had done nothing like it before, and its originality was perhaps what pleased most of all.

This evening at 6 o'clock the Juniors will be entertained at supper in the social room of the First Presbyterian church, by the Sophomore class. Tomorrow the commencement exercises will be held in the Colonial.

**To Read First Mass.**

A number of Reverend Michael Barry's friends from Connellsville and vicinity will go to Uniontown Sunday, June 24 to be present at the celebration of his first mass at St. John's Catholic church. Ordination services will be conducted Friday, June 22, at St. Vincent college, at Bently where Father Barry prepared himself for the priesthood. As yet no announcement has been made of the parish in which the young priest will be assigned.

**A New Mine.**

The Country Club Golf company is mining coal at its new plant on the Country Club farm near Charleford.

## GENERAL PERSHING CHEERED BY HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS WHEN HE ARRIVES IN PARIS

No Conquering Hero, Returning Home, Could Have Hoped for or Received Such a Tremendous Ovation as That Which Was Accorded the American Commander in the Streets of French Metropolis; Men and Women Cheer Wildly.

## EXPECTATIONS OF EVERYONE ARE EXCEEDED

By Associated Press.

PARIS, June 14.—Paris opened its arms to General Pershing and his staff this afternoon and welcomed them with an outburst of spontaneous enthusiasm such as only Paris is capable of. No conquering hero returning home could have hoped for or received such a tremendous reception as greeted the American commander as his automobile ran through hundreds of thousands of cheering people.

Paris and particularly the French authorities had planned and hoped for a great reception but it is doubtful if even the most optimistic pictured the almost frantic crowds that all but blocked the progress of the automobile.

Men and women cheered themselves hoarse and flung masses of flowers into the cars. Parisians declare that the only event in their lifetime that approximates the reception in enthusiasm was that accorded King George of England in 1914.

**GERMAN ASSAULT ON IMPARTANT TRENCH SECTION.**

LONDON, June 14.—Important sections of the German front between the Lys and St. Yves have been abandoned by the Germans. It is announced officially. British troops followed the retreating Germans closely and made considerable progress east of Ploegsteert wood.

**MORE VICTIMS OF AIR RAID OVER LONDON DIE.**

LONDON, June 14.—A number of persons injured in yesterday's attack on London by German airplanes succumbed to their wounds during the night. Firemen, ambulance workers, physicians and nurses, assisted by the police, were engaged throughout the night in the search for the bodies of victims in the areas which suffered most heavily.

There were pathetic scenes in hospitals and police stations where women and men waited for hours in the hope of receiving more favorable news regarding missing relatives.

**JAPAN TO SEND MISSION TO THIS COUNTRY.**

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Japan will send a mission to the United States. The mission will have broad powers, especially in diplomatic consultation and is expected to leave Japan during the first part of July. The nation is regarded as offering an unparalleled opportunity for a clear understanding between the United States and Japan through full discussion of the many complex questions of the unsettled far east.

**ENTENTE FORCES LANDING AT PIRAEUS AND CASTELLA.**

ATHENS, June 14.—Entente forces are now landing at the Piraeus and Castella. Some of the troops are occupying the heights near Phalerum Bay while others are marching to Athens.

**50 KILLED IN EXPLOSION AT ENGLISH TOWN.**

LONDON, June 14.—Fifty were killed and many injured by an explosion at Ashton-Under-Lyne, Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer announced in the House of Commons today. Ashton-Under-Lyne is a manufacturing town near Manchester.

**PARIS MUNITIONS FACTORY COLLAPSES, 15 KILLED.**

PARIS, June 14.—Eighteen dead and 60 injured have been taken from the ruins of the munitions factory which collapsed yesterday. The accident was caused by the breaking of a beam supporting the third floor of the building in which 800 were at work. The whole building collapsed. Many escaped before the building came down.

**CONSTANTINE AND FAMILY DEPART FROM GREECE.**

ATHENS, June 12, via London, June 14.—Former King Constantine left Athens late today to embark on a British warship. He was accompanied by the former Queen and crown prince. They left the city by motor car. Professor Georgios Stroit, former advisor of the Greek foreign office, went with Constantine as his secretary.

**ZEPPELIN DESTROYED OVER NORTH SEA.**

LONDON, June 11.—Zeppelin L-43 has been destroyed over the North Sea by naval forces, Chancellor Bonar Law announced today. The admiral reports that no survivors were seen.

**TAX CEREALS USED FOR DISTINGUISHING RELATIVES.**

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The House war tax bill was decreased about \$50,000,000 more today by the Senate finance committee in deciding to reduce the manufacturers' tax on athletic goods, patent medicines, paucity, and cosmetics from 5% to 2%.

**HOW TO ADDRESS MAIL TO ENGINEERS' CAMP.**

Letters to members of the Engineers' Reserve, now in camp at Pittsburg, should be addressed merely as follows: "Engineers' Camp, East Oakmont, Pa." according to an order received by postoffice authorities here this morning.

**VANDERBILT MAY GETS DISCHARGE FROM CO. D.**

Harry J. Baser of Vanderbilt, a private in Company D, has been honorably discharged because of dependent relatives, according to an announcement by Captain R. S. Morton today.

**WILSON DEFERS WAR VIMS IN FLAG DAY ORATION.**

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Before a great audience assembled today for the Flag Day celebration President Wilson declared that the aims and purposes of the United States in entering the world war were standing in the shadow of the great monument erected to the evicting memory of George Washington. The President told thousands gathered on

**Kennedy Shows Not Counting.**

New Haven Hose company officers have received word from the Conn. R. S. Kennedy showing that it cannot accept a Connellsville booking because of uncertain railroad conditions.



# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Officers for the ensuing year were installed as follows at the regular meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah held last night in Odd-Fellows Hall: Noble grand, Mrs. J. J. Robison; vice grand, Mrs. Hattie Wilson; secretary, Mrs. Marie Smith; treasurer, Mrs. Elvira Means; warden, Mrs. Myrtle Hixon; conductor, Mrs. Annetta Crouse; right supporter to the noble grand, Mrs. Aetha Alford; left supporter to the noble grand, Mrs. Marie Johnson; inside guard, Mrs. Sarah Dwyer; outside guard, Mrs. Rachel Hixon; chaplain, Miss Alberta Schuster; right supporter to the vice grand, Mrs. Pearce of Meyer; left supporter to the vice grand, Miss Livingstone of Meyer. The installation was in charge of District Deputy Mrs. Mollie Benson of Smithfield, assisted by the following grand ladies officers: Mrs. M. J. Starnett; warden, Mrs. Althea Stafford; secretary, Mrs. Mary Bryson; treasurer, Mrs. Agate Smith; chaplain, Mrs. Alice Orndorff; guard, Mrs. Isabelle Halsey. The meeting was well attended and was the best held for some time. Among the visitors were Robert Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, and Mrs. O. S. Vance of Smithfield.

Mrs. Alexander E. Moore, better known all over the country as Miss Lillian Russell, accompanied her husband Alexander P. Moore, editor of the Pittsburgh Leader, spent Monday afternoon and evening at the Summit, and made reservations for a suite of rooms for the remainder of the season. She will spend Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Summit.

Claud A. Condit and Eva May Teats of Connellsville were granted a marriage license in Uniontown yesterday.

Miss Kathryn Lincoln Coffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Coffman of South Uniontown and George Walter Hackney, son of Mrs. W. L. McConegley of Homestead were married this morning at 11:30 o'clock in the Second Presbyterian church, Uniontown, by Rev. W. Scott Bowman, the pastor. The ceremony was followed by a wedding breakfast at the Gallatin hotel. Following the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Hackney left for a trip to the principal cities and Great Lakes. On their return they will be at home at Homestead where Mr. Hackney is foreman of the Carnegie Steel Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McDonald and daughter Kathleen of Conduff were out of town guests at the wedding.

The annual rose meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Trinity Lutheran church will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. E. U. Hetzel in Prospect street.

The Junior Organized Bible class of the First Presbyterian church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Jean Morris in East Crawford avenue.

The Comforts Branch of the Navy League will meet to knit tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Carnegie Free Library. All persons who have started comfort sets are requested to bring their work. There will be women present to instruct the beginners in knitting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Suffrage Party will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. N. Sherrick in East Apple street.

The last meeting of the Philip Freeman Chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution is being held today at the home of Mrs. J. A. Lyon in East Crawford avenue. The meeting is in the form of a picnic.

Mrs. G. D. Williams will entertain the Corticelli Playwork club this evening at her home in Eighth street, Greenwood.

The Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers met yesterday afternoon in Odd-Fellows hall and transacted business of a routine nature.

Mrs. J. E. Kerr conducted the Bible lesson at the weekly Bible study of the Business Women's

Christian Association held last night in the association room in the First National Bank building. The lesson was proceeded by supper.

Miss Ethel M. Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hardy of Dunbar, was married at the Northside Methodist Protestant church, Pittsburgh, by Rev. R. E. Cairns, the pastor. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Hall will be at home at Dunbar.

At a meeting of the Sunday School Association of the Trinity Reformed church held last night at the close of the regular prayer services, Mrs. E. E. Henderson and Miss Mary Rhodes were appointed delegates to a Sunday school convention of the Westmoreland Classical of the Reformed church to be held Thursday and Friday of next week at Larimer.

**PERSONAL.**  
Mrs. James Armour and two children of Houston, Tex., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Leiberger of West Apple street. Mrs. Armour is a sister of Mrs. Leiberger.

The largest exclusive shoe store in Connellsville and still growing, Why? U. N. Brownell Shoe Company, Adv. Mrs. E. J. Hernan of Fort Worth, Tex., was called to her former home in Uniontown by the illness of her mother, Mrs. John Heron. Mrs. Heron is a sister of the Misses Trippling in West Side.

Class initiation and election of officers at the Macabees tonight. Adv. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cavanaugh and baby of Philadelphia are visiting Mrs. Cavanaugh's father, Thomas Ryan of Gibson avenue.

Miss Sylvia Siler of Fairchance is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dunn in Ogden street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Schumaker attended the funeral of the former's uncle, John Swain, held yesterday afternoon from the family home at Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. J. W. Trenberth of South Connellsville, went to Pittsburgh this morning. Mrs. E. E. Brallier of Dawson, went to Scotland this morning to spend the day with Mrs. I. B. Brallier.

Mrs. W. S. Anderson of Scotland, was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Harry J. Crawford has returned to the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crawford, at Dawson.

Mrs. J. D. Percy of West Peach street is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Porter of Scotland today.

Mrs. T. G. Kincaid went to Pittsburgh this morning.

## CHANGES AT B. & O.

Division Accountant Transferred to New Castle; Other Promotions.

A general move-up has been made in the offices of the division accountant and timekeeper at the Baltimore and Ohio station here with the transfer of J. A. Davis, division accountant, to the New Castle division, which goes into effect immediately. Mr. Davis will have his headquarters at New Castle, which is also his home.

J. H. Lindsay, chief clerk to the accountant, succeeds Mr. Davis. His position will be filled by L. J. Lohan, timekeeper.

James Croodon, assistant timekeeper, will be promoted to timekeeper, and James L. Searry, a clerk, will be made assistant timekeeper.

## STEEL DIRECTORS MEET.

Expect to Start August 1; Will Call for Third Payment Soon.

A meeting of the directors of the United States Electric Steel company was held last evening and all material for the construction of the mill was reported on hand. With good weather and the necessary labor it is expected to have the mill ready for operation by the first of August, although the beginning of operations then is not a certainty.

The third payment will be called for on June 25. A prompt response from stockholders is asked for, as delay in paying up makes difficulties for those in charge of the mill.

## BUYS OUT PARTNER.

W. P. Miller to Conduct Sparks & Miller General Store.

W. P. Miller has purchased the interest of his partner, I. L. Sparks, in the general store of Sparks & Miller at Champion. Messrs Sparks and Miller have conducted the store together for six years and Mr. Miller will continue it along the same lines as heretofore.

Mr. Miller is father of Lyman K. Miller, third ward school principal here.

## Licensed to Wed.

Alexander R. Frow and Helen Gordon of West Newton; Roy P. Feiger of East Huntingdon township and Annie R. Hays of Smithton were granted marriage licenses in Greensburg yesterday.

## Moose Dance.

Many Connellsville people expect to attend the Moose dance at Scotland tonight. The Moose expect it to be one of the most successful functions ever held by them.

Girl at Pritchard Home. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Pritchard of Tenth street, West Side, are parents of a baby daughter. Mr. Pritchard is a Baltimore & Ohio machinist.

Try our classified advertisements.

## SAME OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN BY LIBRARY BOARD

Annual Meeting Devoted to But Little Other Than Routine Business Matters.

## THE BYLAWS ARE AMENDED

Library Year is to Close December 31 Instead of April 30 As Heretofore; Report of Librarian Shows That 55,728 Books Circulated Last Year.

Officers were re-elected and committees appointed as follows at the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Free Library last evening:

President, Dr. J. C. McClelland; vice president, Rockwell Marietta; secretary, J. M. Grey; treasurer, L. P. Ruth; committees, executive, Rockwell Marietta, Captain Edmund Dunn, and J. R. Davidson; audit, J. M. Grey, M. B. Pryce and C. Roy Hatzel; building and grounds, J. M. Grey, Captain Edmund Dunn and John Duggan, Sr.; library, L. P. Ruth, J. R. Davidson and Dr. J. L. Cochran.

Heretofore the library year has closed on April 30 and the annual business meeting was held on the second Monday in June. At the meeting last night an amendment to the by-laws, making the library year close on December 31, the same as the financial year, was made. The annual business meeting will heretofore be held on the second Thursday of January. The meeting was devoted principally to the transaction of business of a routine nature. Miss Margaret Whitman, librarian, submitted the following report for the year ending April 30:

Number days open, 307; circulation books, 55,728; periodicals, 1,158; pictures, 27; pamphlets, 59; West Side station, 7,712; total, 64,764.

Accessions—Books added by purchase, 779; books added by gift, 574; books added by binding, 71; total, 1,444; books lost or discarded, 628; number of books in library, 14,765; new registrations, 536; reference attendance, 3,451; periodical room attendance, 2,901; periodicals and newspapers received regularly, 103; average story hour attendance, 52; total story hour attendance, 1,245. Trustees present were Rockwell Marietta, J. M. Grey, Captain Edmund Dunn, Dr. J. L. Cochran, and J. R. Davidson.

## NEW THOMPSON REORGANIZATION PLAN IS DEVISED

Unsecured Creditors May Get 10 Per Cent of Claims Under Proposed Settlement.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, June 14.—With the approval of three-fourths of the unsecured creditors of Joseph V. Thompson and the extension of the secured claims for three years, the proposed plan of J. V. Thompson now is to be optioned on July 12 to Ralph J. Young, of St. Paul, Minn., for 30 days for \$5,000,000. Mr. Young represents the "Hill" interests in the Northern Pacific railroad, and his acceptance of the option on August 12 will mean that the unsecured creditors will receive about 40 per cent for their claims.

Lotters are being sent to the unsecured creditors and advertisements have been placed in newspapers by the J. V. Thompson creditors' committee outlining the plan of reorganization and adjustment of the business and property of Mr. Thompson. These letters state that the plan involves the granting of an option to Mr. Young, who is trustee for large financial interests, for the sale of Mr. Thompson's property, subject to the mortgages, liens, taxes and obligations specified in the option contract for \$5,000,000.

Unsecured creditors are allowed 30 days to file dissents if they have their claims deposited with the creditors' committee. Those who have not deposited their claims with the committee but wish to join in the plan are given 30 days in which to deposit their claims. No affirmative action is required on the part of the unsecured creditors who have deposited their claims to approve the plan.

The payments of the \$5,000,000 in cash upon the transfer of the property to a new corporation or corporations to be organized by the purchasers; \$500,000 in 12 months; thereafter, \$500,000 at the end of each succeeding period of six months until the entire amount is paid. Deferred payments are to be entitled to interest at the rate of five per cent.

In the plan for the reorganization of the Thompson affairs, it is stated that the total assets of Mr. Thompson amount to \$68,933,969.66, and the liabilities are approximately \$25,946,532. It is estimated that the immediate cash requirements to protect the unsecured creditors of their claims through the enforcement of secured claims and obligations are \$9,310,394, of which \$400,000 is needed to pay taxes, \$3,044,015 to pay delinquent interest on secured claims and \$5,866,378 to redeem certain properties which have been sold or foreclosed.

The plan is recommended by the creditors' committee, who have carried on numerous negotiations in an attempt to save the estate for the unsecured creditors.

Green Apples Fatal. Convulsions said to have been caused from eating green apples resulting in the death of Mabel Maitz, 15 year old daughter of James Maitz of Upper Meriden Tuesday night. She died a half hour after she was stricken.

## ORIENTAL ORDOLES

\$3.50, \$5.00, \$10.00, \$15.00—now at one-half price. Oriental Necklaces 98c, \$1.50, \$1.95—now half price.

## A \$50.00 Liberty Bond Free—Saturday the Last Day



"Gold Stripe" Silk Hose \$1.25 If there is a better Silk Hose than the "Gold Stripe," we do not know it—and from the many testimonials given us by their ardent wearers, we know they are proving themselves excellent wearers.

In all good colors; 23 shades at a pair \$1.25.

Taney Silk Hose, \$1.25, \$1.75 In Richelle stripes, circles, clocked, and combination colors—pure silk; sizes 9, 9½ and 10; at \$1.25, \$1.75.

## ANNIVERSARY SPECIALS

Women's Union Suits, 50c Women's Ribbed Vests, 14c 20c Boys' Union Suits, 21c Child's Strap Vests, 2 for 1 20c Boys' "No-Need" Hose, 21c 20c Women's Lisle Hose, 21c 20c Women's Union Suits, 21c 50c Brassieres, now at 31c 75c Brassieres, now at 54c 15c Women's Lisle Hose, 21c \$1.75 6 in 11 yr Dresses at 1.11 Children's Colored Dresses 14c Boys' and Girls' Hats at 1.1c 2 to 12 yr Girls' Drawers 1 for 41c

## THE E. DUNN STORE

The HOME of QUALITY and SERVICE  
129 to 133 N PITTSBURG ST. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists and Millinery at prices that have set new record marks for our Ready-to-Wear Department.

We never met with such hearty response in this department as we have during this Anniversary Sale—of course, the values offered were the incentive and with the last days of the sale you'll find still greater values offered—the following prices give but a faint idea of the wonderful values, values:

SUITS, values to \$35.00, at \$14.04	COATS, values to \$37.50, at \$19.04
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DRESSES, values to \$25.00, at \$15.04	WAISTS, values to \$12.50, at \$4c
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Join the Navy League

Every Woman Can be a Patriot by Knitting for

## Our Seamen.

Fleischers Gray, in color and quality, has been approved, as the standard by both the Army and Navy. We sell it to members of the Navy League at \$2.60 a pound—by the hank 75 cents.

Men should buy the Yarn for the Women—or send it to the Comforts Committee here or at Washington.

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## PLANTS ARE HERE

Garden Committee Puts Them on Sale at P. R. Welmer's.

The task the garden committee went up against to secure tomato and cabbage plants shows just how scarce these plants are. In these days when everybody is planting. They were ordered from a Monongahela City grower and it was necessary for members of the committee to go there in person and get them. The grower declined to ship them. It was up to the local committee. If plants were to be secured for local planting, to make an overland automobile trip after them. It was even necessary to call up the grower about every three or four days to inquire how the plants were coming along and make sure some were being saved for Connellsville.

P. R. Welmer, chairman of the garden committee, brought the plants to Connellsville by automobile this morning. This distribution began a noon today at the rear of Mr. Welmer's piano store on East Crawford avenue. They were sold at cost.

In addition to the tomato and cabbage plants, the committee secured four bushels of beans which are being distributed at the same place. Mrs. Mary McCusker of the West Side received last evening by telegram morning from her daughter, Elizabeth, announcing her marriage. The name of the bridegroom, or where the wedding took place was not given in the telegram. The bride for some time past was employed in the military department of the Weight-Meizer company, and has a wide circle of friends.

Repair Fire Alarm System. The Gamewell Fire Alarm system was repaired last evening by W. R. Loomis, an electrician sent here on the request of Chief DeBolt. The system was not out of commission but the indicator needed adjusting. The blowing of the whistle to test out the indicator aroused some curiosity.

Florence Social. The ladies of Florence are holding a social in the Florence auditorium, for the benefit of the First Aid club, Saturday evening, June 16. All are invited.—Adv.—14-31.

Patronize those who advertise.

## KILLED BY TRAIN

Former Broad Ford Resident Run Down at Coulter.

Peter Stragand, for the past 31 years a resident of Coulter, but formerly located at Broad Ford, was fatally injured yesterday morning when struck by a train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Coulter. Just how the accident occurred is not known positively, but it is believed Stragand was walking along the tracks on his way to the mines. Death was almost instantaneous. Mr. Stragand, who was 67 years old, was born in Germany and on coming to this country he located at Broad Ford. For the past 34 years he had resided in the same house at Coulter. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Anna Stragand, three sons, John Peter and George Stragand, and two daughters, Mrs. Christ Fisher and Mrs. Seidling, all of Elizabeth, Pa. Mr. Stragand was a coal miner.

## MAY CONTROL COKE.

A Possibility That Government Will Establish Some Regulations.

The Council of National Defense is understood to have given consideration to the advisability of adopting some method of regulating the distribution of coke from the Connellsville region with a view to facilitating its movement to plants engaged in the manufacture of articles of military necessity.

Whether this measure contemplates a regulation of price is not known, although the impression prevails in certain quarters that eventually government control will be exercised over the prices of both coal and coke.

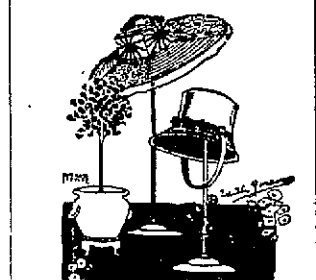
## O. L. Eaton in Hospital.

O. L. Eaton of the United States War Department staff, and a former superintendent of the Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, who has been ill at his home in Cedar avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Eaton, went to Pittsburgh last night to enter the Homoeopathic hospital where X-ray pictures will be taken to determine the nature of his illness. He expects to be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

Infant Dies. Irene Marie Pesock, four months old, daughter of Paul and Mary Pesock of Trotter, died last night.

With every 50c value of Your purchase you receive a chance on the Fifty Dollar Liberty Bond.

Winner will be announced in The Courier and the News, Monday.



## Pattern Hats Now

\$9.95

Values to \$25.00

Your unrestricted choice of all pattern hats at \$9.95 included are models from Hickson, Kutzman, Leichtenstein, Johnson, Jenny, Gage and Fisk.

## Summer Sports Hats

\$1.85 up to \$10.00

Leghorn Bangkoks Milan Wenchow

Peanut Braid, Etc. In white, black and self-color ribbon trimmings—Stiff brim sailors, mushroom, chin-chin and others; in white and natural shades, \$1.85, \$2.95 up to \$10.00.

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## HELP THEM.

Connellsville Business Men Find 'I' Very Valuable.

To buy and sell advantageously business men must have reliable advice as to the consumption and value of the goods they handle. That is one reason they find the MONTHLY TRADE REVIEW, issued by the First National Bank, so valuable. It gives the latest available accurate information and its FREE. Send address to bank.—Adv.

## OPPERMAN BUYS COAL.

Greenwood Hill Interests Sold by Connellsville Coal Company.

Fred Opperman has purchased



## Colonel Roosevelt Pleads For Big Red Cross Fund

Special to The Courier.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 14.—Theodore Roosevelt appealed to the nation today to give generously and speedily to the \$100,000,000 war fund which the War Council of the American Red Cross is to raise in Red Cross week beginning next Monday for immediate needs. Speaking at the semi-centennial celebration of Nebraska statehood at Lincoln, Nebraska, the Colonel declared that the Red Cross will be second in importance only to the army as a factor in winning the war.

Urging the whole country to support the most splendidly constructive work that ever confronted a nation, Colonel Roosevelt said in part:

"Second only to the army in the work of winning this war comes our Red Cross. Indeed the importance of this work is so great that the President of the United States has set apart next week—from June 18-25—as a period for sacrifice and unselfish generosity, a week in which the whole American people will be asked to join in raising funds to enable our Red Cross to perform its vast and indispensable duties in this war.

"That these duties may not only have the support of our hearts, but that the gifts of our people may be made effective, may be put to the best possible use, the President has also commissioned several of the ablest business men of the country as a War Council of the Red Cross, to administer this service on behalf of a stricken world. This War Council has already made far-reaching plans. They tell us that a fund of a \$100,000,000 must be raised at once in order to meet even the most urgent needs. That fund we are asked to raise for this work of sacrifice and of consecration.

"Here, indeed, is a summons to every American. It is an enormous sum of money; but what comfort can we take in withholding that, or any other sum of money, if it is needed to relieve the suffering of our own sons or the sons of our Allies who are fighting for all that makes life worth living?

"Into our Red Cross should be poured without stint a heartfelt offering of Thanksgiving that we are permitted to join in this great service to all mankind. Our people have yet to learn the true meaning of sacrifice. We have been so far away from the scene of battle, we have been lulled into such drowsy indifference to duty by our ease and our prosperity, that we could not feel with any intensity the meaning to us of this awful conflict. But now, we must give of our blood and our resources. We see now that this has in fact from the beginning been a war for our liberty no less than for the liberty of our Allies. They have already suffered and endured; they are still suffering far more than we thought it possible for men to endure. Now our opportunity has come. Our soldiers and sailors will do their part without flinching; we may rest assured of their courage and fidelity. The Red Cross offers to us who are not allowed to fight the opportunity for sacrifice and for help.

"We little realize what is before us. Our own sons and brothers will soon be going into battle. They will be three thousand miles from home, in a land already wasted by war, a land threatened by famine, a land smitten by disease. They tell us that in many cases today the wounds of soldiers in France must be tied up with newspaper for want of the necessary surgical bandages. When our own men are wounded—as they surely will be in great numbers—are we going to allow them to suffer yet more because we fail to provide those things which can at least mitigate distress? Surely not! But we must do it in advance. If we wait it may be too late. Do it now! Nine-tenths of wisdom is being wise in time!

"Our Red Cross must not only care for the shattered bodies of our wounded men; it alone can become a foster parent to them in the trying conditions they are sure to face when they are convalescent from wounds or recovering from exhaustion. We shall soon have an army in France of a million soldiers. When they go to France they must have homes in which to rest and to be cared for and to recover. The generosity of our whole people must make it possible for our Red Cross to provide for them.

"In past wars, the Red Cross devoted itself largely to caring for the wounded behind the battle line. Even in this war that duty is still of vast magnitude and paramount importance. All that we do or can do for our soldiers of our own or our Allied armies will be all too little. But this is a war in which not only armies but whole peoples are engaged. In our previous wars the innocent non-combatants had to bear so terrible a share of its physical sufferings. And it is through our Red Cross that we can show to the nations of the world how the great heart of the American people goes out to them in their distress.

"France—proud, brave, bleeding from ghastly wounds, needs us sorely. Tuberculosis is raging throughout her land. Fifteen hundred of her towns and villages have been razed to the ground by the calculated barbarity of invaders. Millions of her people are homeless and starving, bereft even of the barest coverings for their bodies, of stores, of agricultural implements, or animals—indeed of the simplest elements of civilization. And to us alone can these people come for help; we alone have the abundance with which to supply their direst needs.

"To Russia, too, we must reach out our helping hands. Her little army, what she has suffered and is suffering. Her soldiers went into battle ill equipped with arms or ammunition. Of medical supplies she had almost none. To care for her wounded on a battlefield of 1,000 miles she has but 500 ambulances, while France has

64,000 in a battle line of 400 miles, and even that is not enough. Russia, long obedient to autocracy has not flinched in this conflict. Her people have had to struggle not only to free the world from autocracy, but to make their own land a land of liberty. Russia needs all we can do to strengthen her courage and to make her feel that we are indeed behind her. Our armies can do little for her. Our Red Cross alone can take into Russia the message of hope, of help, of confidence which she so terribly needs. The message must be practical. It must carry deeds, and not merely words; and it should be carried at once. Probably never before were so many people in distress and agony as in Russia at this very hour. We can take no more vital step toward winning this war than to put renewed heart and strength in Russia.

## HOW THIN PEOPLE MAY PUT ON FLESH

Great Discovery by Eminent Specialist.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing the arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of beauty and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness, and it therefore is a real pleasure to publish herewith a simple prescription which, by correcting faulty metabolism and stimulating the activities of certain sluggish vital organs, quickly produces a marvellous transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing. This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness, and lack of energy which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, all quickly disappear. Dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

The prescription, which is absolutely harmless, directs you to take before each meal a 5-grain tablet of Bilio-Phosphate, such as you may obtain from any druggist at a trifling cost. Eat all you want, but chew your food thoroughly.

Caution:—Although the above prescription is unimpaired for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not be used by those who are afflicted with a remarkable flesh-growing propensity, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.—ADV.

## Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, June 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Bart Nabors and two children are visiting friends in Uniontown.

Misses Elizabeth Bower and Ruth Groff are attending the Sunday school convention in Berlin this week as delegates from the Lutheran Sunday school.

Oran Jackson of Olinville, was a business caller here yesterday. Joseph Ream was in Connelville yesterday transacting business.

Misses Mary Lennart and Mary Ellen Cronin have returned from a visit with friends at West Newton. Mrs. Carrie Tinsie left this morning for a visit with friends at Defiance, O., and Bennett, Ill. She will be gone several weeks.

Miss Ida McDonald of this place, and Thomas County of Lincoln, O., were quietly married in Pittsburgh yesterday. Mrs. Mommy will return to her home here today while Mr. County returned to his home, where he will leave Friday for Soldiers' Headquarters, having enlisted some time ago.

Mrs. H. V. Prince of Fort Hill, was shopping and visiting friends here yesterday.

H. C. Humbert of Connelville, was calling on relatives here yesterday.

Frank Watson of Youngstown, O., was here yesterday on his way to Somerset to visit friends.

## Pittstown.

PRITTS TOWN, June 14.—Mrs. William Hay is suffering from a badly sprained ankle at her home caused by falling on a corner step leading to her summer kitchen on Thursday.

Mrs. J. L. Freed was at Sterrett's postoffice Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. Susan Fulton, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Atkinson and sister, Hattie Freed, and Misses Grace Richter and Milla White visited the family of the former's brother, Bert Freed of Pennsylvania Sunday.

Miss Pearl Wright is attending the Summer normal school at South Connelville.

Mrs. Norman Clark is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Solomon of Woodville.

Joseph Berg was a Uniontown visitor on Tuesday.

Margaret French visited Scottdale friends on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Milligan, daughter Charlotte, and Grace Mardis attended the commencement exercises in Mount Pleasant Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Hay and children of Scottdale visited her mother, Mrs. Nancy Truxal here Tuesday.

To Reorganize Sheffield. Reorganization plans of the Sheffield Coal & Iron company, New York, have been perfected and have been sent to security holders before final action is taken.

## Bonhag, One Time Running Champion, Does a Comeback In Walking Match



Photo by American Press Association.  
AFTER a retirement of five years George V. Bonhag, one time long distance running champion, won the one mile walking handicap event at the spring games of the New York Athletic club held at Coney Island. N. Y. Bonhag was timed at 6 minutes 25.5 seconds. In the accompanying illustration Bonhag, on the left, is shown passing John J. Farrell, another contestant.

## SILK O'LOUGHLIN BASEBALL ODDITY

"Never Gave Wrong Decision,"  
Says Indicator Handler.

## NOT LIKED BY THE PLAYERS

Will Not Argue, So Has Little Trouble.  
If You Don't Think He Knows Base-  
ball From Alpha to Omega Try to  
Catch Him on Some Rule or Tech-  
nical Violation.

## GARLIC STOPS THIS SPITBALL PITCHER

Louis Guisto, First Baseman For  
Cleveland, Pulls One One.

The latest strategy to be used against spitball pitchers has been invented this season by Louis Guisto, Indian first baseman, now serving his first year in the majors.

The big Indian has a formula which will send any spitball artist hiking to the refreshment stands and is just proud of his achievement.

Bert Gallia of Washington was Guisto's first victim.

Gallia had worked with the moistened ball only part of an inning when his face twisted in anguish as he mottled his fingers to toss up the ball.

As the inning proceeded Gallia's team became more pronounced. Tears streamed from his eyes, and his face was contorted.

He called big Jack Henry from behind the bat and complained.

"They're trying to poison me," he declared.

Henry sniffed the ball cautiously and turned up his nose in patrician disgust.

Henry called Tom Connolly, who was umpiring the game.

Connolly sniffed the ball suspiciously.

"I see in this the Italian hand of Guisto," he decided.

Guisto admitted, delecting the ball with garlic.

"I didn't intend to do it, but garlic is my favorite dish and somehow it got on the ball."

The writer made bold to inquire of O'Loughlin why he does not reason with ball players or answer questions, as some of the scribblers in the league are willing to do, citing the case of Billy Evans, who after missing a play or miscalculating a strike often replies to his accusers: "Yes, I'm afraid I missed that one. You know we all make mistakes."

O'Loughlin retorted, with a smile: "Why, to my way of thinking I'd be a sucker to admit that I made a mistake. Of course I make 'em—nobody lived who never made a mistake—but I'm not going to admit it, and furthermore my decision goes. Do you suppose I'd tell a ball player I missed a strike or that a fast runner had a throw beaten? I should say not, for the next time I rendered a verdict that did not suit him he would probably say, 'I missed another.'"

O'Loughlin, one of the veterans of the American league in point of service.

With the players O'Loughlin is not popular. He will never be popular, and his nature is such that he doesn't care a flake's darn whether he is popular or not.

"I always give every decision just as I see it. My eyesight is still pretty good, and no ball player can tell me I am wrong, for I am not, and my time I give a decision the play goes—there can be no appeal. I never pay the slightest attention to protests," he declared during a conversation held on a train recently while en route to Cleveland from St. Louis.

Personally, O'Loughlin is a likable chap. He knows baseball from Alpha to Omega. If you don't believe it try to catch him on some rule or technical violation.

On the ball field Silk is something of a character. His mannerisms often send a crowd into a perfect frenzy of hatred, and it wishes were dangerous poor Silk would have been in his grave long ago.

While the ball players do not like him, every mother's son of them respects him, and there is never very much wrangling when Silk has rendered a verdict on a close play. The athletes know down in their hearts that not only will he positively refuse to argue, but will not stand delays, consequently O'Loughlin never has much trouble clearing the field after an argument.

The life of a major league umpire is far from being a bed of roses. In the first place, an umpire cannot lodge at the same hotels occupied by ball clubs, and he is forbidden to associate with ball players off the field.

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THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 14, 1917.

## FLAG DAY AND OUR DUTY.

There has been such a general display of the flag for some months past that many persons are apt to overlook the fact that today marks the celebration of the adoption by the Continental Congress of the original flag of 13 alternate red and white stripes and 13 stars in a circle on a field of blue as our national emblem. In this section the only formal celebration of the event is the parade at Scottdale at which respect and honor due the occasion will be fittingly paid. This is but one of a number of similar events throughout the country which will serve to remind citizens of the significance of the day.

We cannot all take part in these formal observances of the day but we can make the day one upon which to renew our loyalty to the country of which the flag is the symbol, and we can strengthen our faith in the principles for which our country stands. In this hour when these principles of popular government and human liberty have been challenged by the most powerful exponent of brutal autocracy the world has ever known we should make Flag Day a day of recommitment—a day upon which we shall re-avow our determination to render every form of service of which we are capable and prepare ourselves to make every sacrifice that may be necessary to secure the perpetuation for our country, for our children and our children's children, those rights of civilization and liberty of which the Stars and Stripes is the emblematic token.

If we do these things today Flag Day will ever afterwards have a deeper meaning for us.

## STAMP IT OUT FOREVER.

It has been said that it takes a German to understand a German. This is a truth which Americans must accept when they attempt to understand the viewpoint of the German who seeks to justify the unspeakable barbarities and crimes which have been committed in this war under the thin veil of military necessity. By the code of morals the civilized world has hitherto recognized as binding even in times of war, Americans have been utterly unable to recognize Germany's pretensions to culture and refinement with the attempts of its leaders and statesmen to condone the brutality of its soldiers.

Our failure to comprehend the mental attitude of the Germans upon these matters is because we do not know the Germans as they know each other. As an insight into their character, as it has been influenced by a generation of more of training in family life, in schools and in government affairs to exist for as supreme a recently published interview with a wealthy and intelligent German-American who has been born and reared in Germany, but has resided in the United States for almost a quarter of a century, is most illuminating.

While insistent in his assertions that the barbarism of the Germans in this war is not barbarism from the German viewpoint, this well-informed observer of his own people makes no apology for the truths he tells when he says:

While I recognize, now that I understand the civilization of this country that Germany is guilty of barbarism I also understand, because I was born and raised in Germany, that the German people do not look upon their acts as barbaric. I will illustrate the whole case by my own experience. I was a young man of school in Germany. I had just graduated from high school and was in order to take from him something that belonged to him. I wanted. When I went home my parents asked me on the shoulder and asked me to go to the fighting front. I wanted, although I understood the war in getting it. They were merely following the universal thought and custom in Germany, where in daily life in schools and in government, people are taught that might is right and they must take whatever they desire without regard to how they may injure or hurt other people in the getting of it.

This spirit has run through the whole of German life. It is the spirit which dominated Germany when I grew up twenty years or more ago and it is the spirit which explains why the German army can be so ready at what points and in what places. It is the spirit which explains why the German people of this country call barbarism without their own recognition of the fact that they are doing nothing that is barbaric or anything that I have been bred into their very being through their whole life.

I have said, after I had reached America I came to this country and after I had caught an understanding of the life and atmosphere of America I was influenced in an entirely different direction. I then realized that I had committed a crime in maintaining a school boy friend for my own personal gratification, and for 22 years I have, as some slight atonement, been supporting that man and his wife. But I continued to live in Germany, I never, it would never have occurred to me that I had done wrong or was under any obligation whatever to look after the man whom I had thus so seriously injured.

You can see, therefore, that the viewpoint of the people of Germany is diametrically opposed to the viewpoint of the people of this country. What we in this country call barbarism is not as regarded by Germans, who have been trained from infancy to think and to act exactly as they are doing in this

war. They commit acts which Americans (and I am now an American in thought) call great crimes, but the Germans do not look upon them as crimes, but as the natural carrying out of the life they have been taught to lead.

This frank statement will be a revelation to those who are uninformed as to the extent to which a false education has transformed the once God-fearing honest-hearted people of Germany into agnostic worshippers of superman and to whom might has become the sole measure of right.

How shall the world deal with Prussian militarism, which is alone responsible for the poisoning of the whole life of Germany, and which seeks to spread its influence throughout the world? To this question there is but one answer: This blight upon civilization must be stamped out forever.

## THE LESSONS OF A LIFE.

An unflinching faithfulness in the discharge of every duty and a cheerful willingness to do his full share in whatever capacity he was called upon to serve, were two of the lessons the life of Lord Long have bequeathed to the community which was the scene of his activities. To those who added the influence and example of an unassuming modesty and frank sincerity of manner which attracted and held a large circle of friends.

By these plain, simple attributes of good citizenship his life constituted a substantial contribution of all those things which promote the permanent advancement and growth of the community—a well-being that such lives are closed before the period of their usefulness has been fully attained is as much a misfortune for the neighborhood as it is a bereavement for the immediate friends. It therefore devolves upon others to take upon themselves a larger share of the burdens and responsibilities of which Mr. Long has been relieved by death. It behooves other and younger persons to read aright the lessons of his life that service faithfully performed is the real measure of worth.

General Pershing has accomplished in one day more than the whole German army has been able to do in three years. He has Paris at his feet and without a blow being struck.

Last call for Liberty Bonds.

The slaughter of almost 100 non-combatants including 2 babies and 15 women during the last year in London will be a permanent reminder in Berlin as another glorious victory.

Bond slakers have but one day in which to get under cover.

The slakers who did not think it right to register will have plenty of time during their 3 years of banishment from public view to think a new thing.

Every day is flag day but today is The Flag Day.

If I know a slacker, let him be known.

There is money in coins and the ladies are expert at getting it out.

Connellsville ought to make it a full half million on its Liberty Bond subscription.

Only Advertising That Don't Pay.

Philadelphia Ledger.

It does not pay the slacker to advertise.

Judge to Make Address.

Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen will deliver the class address at the annual commencement exercises of the Perry township high school tomorrow night at the high school auditorium at Perryopolis.

LET'S TALK SENSE.

By Ralph Henry Barbour.

Let's talk sense, folks. Let's forget this piffle about the war being over in August or September or the day before Christmas.

Germany isn't beaten yet. Her resources of men, ammunition and food are still fair. If she went on an unrestricted campaign she could make the war last another year. She may never be beaten. You don't like the sound of that but it's true. There's nothing to guarantee the contrary.

The government has gone into the war with the assumption that it will last another three years at least and the government knows more of the facts than do those comfortable chattering optimists, persons who smile and wave their hands airily and predict a victory for the Entente Allies about the time winter furs come out of limbo.

You and I can hope as much as we please.

It does no harm. Probably it helps.

But the inexorable fact remains that at the present moment there is every indication of this war going into next spring.

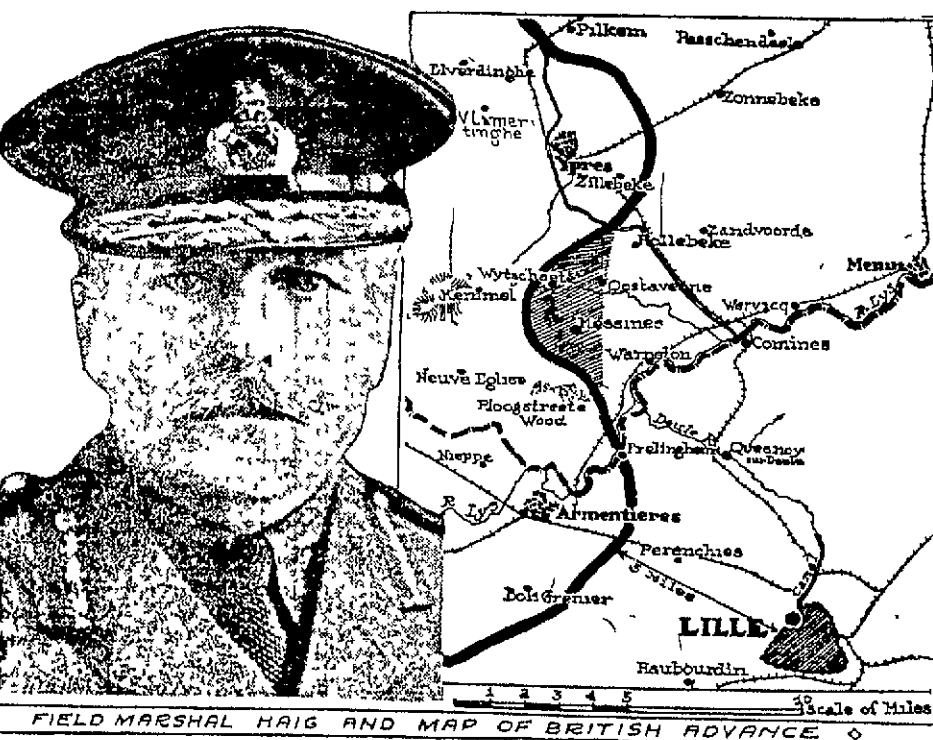
But whether it is ended this year or three years from now or twenty years from now the United States is in it for keeps. We sit still and wait for it to last. It is going to take a lot of men and a lot of money. Fortunately we've got both. But the men aren't going to do us any good until they're mobilized and the money isn't going to be of use until it's out of our pockets.

The country needs money as much as men.

Just now she needs it more. Give it to her. Don't wait for the next man to come across the street ahead of him. Don't talk early peace and say that'll be plenty of money without waiting. You don't know if everyone thought that there couldn't be any at all. Take the word of those in position to know and count on the war lasting a long while yet.

If you accept that as a fact you'll realize the necessity of mobilizing your dollars along with the others. Come across folk!

## BRITISH PRAISE HAIG FOR SMASH AGAINST GERMAN LINE



FIELD MARSHAL HAIG AND MAP OF BRITISH ADVANCE

The shaded portion of the accompanying map shows the extent of the great British advance which extended from southwest of Ypres to Ploeghe-truetele wood. The black line shows the former battle line.

The inverted S' the northern portion curving around Ypres and the southern which the British have advanced on is indicated. Oosterveld was passed by the British. England's military authorities award the major portion of the credit for the recent British advances to Field Marshal Sir

Douglas Haig. British commander in the field whose latest photograph is reproduced herewith. Sir Douglas was advanced from the rank of general to that of field marshal in January.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—BEDROOM AND PORCH furniture. MISS LA. RAW. Conneltsville. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—CORNERS LOT ON paved street. Good location. Address K. K. care Courier. 6 May 17.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS RES. Address RESTAURANT. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE. Corner first class business. Sp. end to location in growing town. Address GROCERY. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—TEAM OF GOOD WORK horses. Inquire of R. S. Pierce. Conneltsville. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—TWIN CYLINDER IN. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—FIVE PASSENGER 1917. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—9 ACRES OF SECOND growth timber in Bullskin township. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND MOST convenient building lots for workmen and others. 14 June 17.

Lost.

LOST SQUAR Locket with int. 14 June 17.

LOST—YESTERDAY MORNING B. 14 June 17.

LOST—PLATINUM DIAMOND L. 14 June 17.

Discontinuation Notice.

W. T. MILLER HAS PURCHASED the 14 June 17.

Notice.

AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF the 14 June 17.

Notice.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN 14 June 17.

Notice.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Charter of 14 June 17.

Notice.

FOR RENT—ROOM 14 June 17.

FOR RENT—TWO LARGE DESIR. 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—ROOM HOUSE NICE 14 June 17.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS RES. 14 June 17.

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In Price

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The double-service tooth paste, keeps teeth clean AND GUMS HEALTHY.

Keeping the gums healthy and the mouth sweet is very important to health. More teeth are lost through the loosening of the tissue that holds the teeth in place than from decay.

Dental science to day demands that a tooth paste must keep the gums healthy as well as clean the teeth.

Senreco was formulated to meet this requirement. Hundreds of dentists are prescribing and using Senreco because they have found that it does measure up to that standard.

## SENRECO IS A WONDERFUL CLEANSER.

In addition to its remedial properties Senreco is a wonderful cleanser; acts directly on the mucin film the basis of tartar leaving the mouth cool and clean-tasting. As some one has expressed it—Senreco gives one a new idea on mouth cleanliness.

Get a tube to-day at your druggists or toilet counter—enjoy the healthy, cleanly feeling its use gives your mouth and gums. Notice how brilliantly white Senreco makes your teeth. It performs this 10-fold service for you and yet costs no more than the ordinary old-fashioned tooth paste that simply cleans the teeth and leaves a pleasant taste—25 cents for a large 2 ounce tube.

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NO newspaper can succeed without advertising, therefore we solicit the patronage of our readers for those who by their advertising help to make this paper possible.



## EVERSON BOY IS HONOR STUDENT OF SCOTSDALE CLASS

Reils Byrne Only One to Have  
Part on Program at Com-  
mencement Exercises.

### 31 RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

See Ethel Loucks Takes Second  
Honor and Three Other Students  
Finish With Averages of Over 80;  
Edwin Earle Sparks the Speaker.

Special to The Courier.  
SCOTSDALE, June 11.—A class of  
33 was graduated from the high  
school at the 25th annual commencing  
exercises in the Scottdale theatre  
last night. A large audience of  
friends and relatives of the graduates  
attended. Honors of the class were  
carried off by Reils Byrne of Everson  
who was the only member of the class  
to participate in the program. He de-  
livered an oration on "The Functions  
of a Modern High School."

Miss Ethel Loucks stood second in  
the class and three others finished  
with percentages of over 80. These  
were Misses Susan Colborn, Cath-  
erine Oberly and Gertrude Parker.  
The design for the commencement  
program was made by Miss Oberly.  
The commencement address was  
made by Dr. Edwin Earle Sparks,  
president of Pennsylvania State Col-  
lege on the subject, "The Simple Vir-  
tues."

Rev. G. W. Terhush asked the in-  
vocation and the high school chorus  
sang three numbers. The remainder  
of the graduates followed:

Misses Nina Barclay, Margaret  
Carson, Ethel Collins, Mary Dick,  
Monica Kelly, Celeste Loucks, Eliza  
Loe, Pauline Miller, Mary Moore-  
head, Goldie Moser, Luella Porter,  
Florence Rutherford, Charlotte Staut-  
fer, Margaret Stauffer, Joseph Butler,  
Warren Cole, James Eckman, Daniel  
Evans, Earle Gordon, Gilbert Gove,  
Lyle Gove, William Hawthorne, Wil-  
liam Hilt, Mark Hotter, Marcor Mc-  
Ilvain, John Mumma, Gene Newman  
and Vallie Yanner.

Repeat Class Play.  
The Senior class play, "Kicks at  
College," was repeated yesterday af-  
ternoon for the benefit of the Red  
Cross. A crowded house attended.

Wanted.  
Boy, 13 or over for solicitor. The  
Goodwin Co., Connelville. Adv.—  
12-5t.

Odd Animals.  
Mike Demma, wholesale fruit deal-  
er, recently received a lot of bear-  
cats. On one bunch he found two  
small animals that resembled mice.  
They are now on exhibition in a jar  
in front of his store and are attract-  
ing much attention.

For Rent.  
Five room house with bath and  
beater, on Broadway. Call Bell  
phone 125-R. Adv.—43-15-16.

Tennis Tournament.  
The Tennis association has arranged  
to hold its first tournament on Sat-  
urday with men's singles, men's  
doubles and mixed doubles scheduled.  
Only first prize will be given as the  
tournament is purely social.

Wanted.  
Laborers at Sanitary Chemical  
Manufacturing Company. See James  
Horse at old Scottdale Brewery. Adv.—  
14-46t.

Notes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Bell are the  
parent of a son born at their  
Pittsburgh street home yesterday  
morning. Mrs. Bell before her mar-  
riage was Miss Gertrude Cox.

Mrs. Walter Stoner, who has been  
very ill has been taken to the Mem-  
orial hospital for treatment.

Helen Downing of Massillon, Ohio,  
is the guest of Charlotte Stauffer.

Miss Olive Rhodes, a teacher in  
Pittsburgh, is home for her summer  
vacation.

Miss Anna Dick, a student at Wil-  
son college, is home for her vacation.

Miss Bertha Faith of Mount Pleasant  
was visiting friends here yester-  
day.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berg  
of Wooddale Thursday morning, a  
daughter.

Weavers seem to be plentiful at the  
Iron Bridge stock farm, as three of  
the pests have been killed since Sun-  
day.

Patronize those who advertise.  
By-Product Plants Sold Up.  
By-product coke plants at Saint  
Louis and other points in the west  
report output sold ahead for weeks.  
Few are making contracts for future  
deliveries.

Italy's Coal Needs.  
Italy needs 1,000,000 tons of Ameri-  
can coal monthly to continue her es-  
sential munitions manufacture.



Heal your child's  
sick skin with  
**Resinol**

The minor skin troubles to which  
infants and children are subject—  
itching patches, bits of chafing,  
rash or redness—so easily develop  
into serious, stubborn affections,  
that every mother should have  
Resinol Ointment handy to check  
them before they get the upper  
hand. We recommend Resinol for this  
reason: because it is the only ointment  
that is safe and sure in treating eczema,  
and similar serious skin diseases.

## CHAUTAUQUA NOT AFFECTED BY WAR SAYS ADVANCE MAN

Constructive Recreation Welcome in  
These Troubled Times,  
He Says.

C. F. Sanders, advance representa-  
tive of the Redpath Chautauqua is  
here to assist in the advertising cam-  
paign on behalf of the committee  
which has in charge the sale of sea-  
son tickets. After interviewing a  
number of interested people, Mr.  
Sanders predicts that the Chautau-  
qua this season will outstrip any  
event of the kind ever held here. The  
program to be given here from June  
18 to June 26 is considered the best  
balanced and most entertaining ever  
presented on the circuit.

"Will the war Chautauqua flourish  
as did the Chautauqua held in times  
of peace?" was asked of Mr. Sanders.  
He feels sure that the Chautauqua,  
having proved its value in the past,  
will meet the demands of the present  
hour. In fact the reports received  
from southern and western Chautau-  
qua which have been under way for  
several weeks indicate that the crowds  
are larger than ever. The Chautau-  
qua survives because it is recognized  
as constructive recreation rather than  
destructive dissipation.

One of the big musical events of the  
week will be the Light Opera  
"Dorothy" presented in three acts by  
a company of 25 people. J. K. Mur-  
ray, Clara Lane, Helen Guenther,  
Howard Pascal and others of note  
are included in the cast. The con-  
taining and stage setting will be elab-  
orate.

Another headline attraction is  
Ralph Dunbar's company of famous  
White Hussars. Albert C. Sweet is  
the director of this nationally famed  
singing band. The men appear bril-  
liantly uniformed and in their pro-  
grams, afternoon and evening, patri-  
otic music will be featured.

Other features of the week include  
the Killarney Girls; Edwin M. White-  
ney in an interpretation of "Turn to  
the Right"; Mrs. Ida C. Bailey Allen,  
home economics expert; the Reglers,  
in music and impersonations; Dr.  
Poon Chow, "The Chinese Mark  
Twain"; the Montague Singers; Opie  
Read, novelist and entertainer; Dr.  
Charles E. Barker, the health man;  
Metropolitan Artists; Dr. E. T. Hager-  
man, lecturer; the Christian Glee  
Company; and Ralph Bingham, famed  
at home and abroad for his sponta-  
neous humor.

The children's department of the  
Chautauqua will be an important fea-  
ture this season, the climax being a  
pageant, "Gleens Time in Fairyland"  
on the closing night. Morning hour  
lectures will be given as in the past.

## USING WASTED SPACE IN CARS

Will Greatly Increase the Carrying  
Capacity, the P. R. R. Shows in  
an Industrial Bulletin.

How car space is wasted by the  
practice of shipping commodities in  
single trade units is graphically  
shown in a car utility bulletin just  
issued by the transportation depart-  
ment of the Pennsylvania railroad.  
Copies of the bulletin will be dis-  
tributed to all freight and station agents,  
with instructions to place them in the  
hands of shippers, consignees, brok-  
ers, buyers, boards of trade, cham-  
bers of commerce, and merchants as-  
sociations, located within their juris-  
dictions and urge cooperation in mak-  
ing more efficient use of the carrying  
capacity of freight cars.

The bulletin is illustrated with a  
series of seven diagrams showing the  
customary ways in which tomatoes,  
cattle, sugar in bags, sugar in  
barrels, salt in bags, oil in barrels  
and cotton in bales are shipped. In  
the case of each of these commodities,  
the commercial unit in which ship-  
ments are ordinarily made fills half,  
or less than half of the carrying ca-  
pacity of a box car. The diagrams  
show how practically the entire ca-  
pacity of the car can be utilized.

To remedy this condition, the bul-  
letin suggests that buyers, where pos-  
sible, increase orders to carload lots  
or club together with other buyers.  
Shippers are urged to encourage  
larger trade units and solicit buyers  
to increase or combine their orders,  
so as to fill the car. "When this is  
not possible," says the bulletin, "then  
you should combine carload ship-  
ments which are destined to the same  
point, and when you have shipments  
that are going in the same general  
direction, they should also be com-  
bined in order to make full use of car  
space.

If the waste space in the freight  
cars on the Pennsylvania railroad  
system were utilized, the result would  
be equivalent to placing more than  
120,000 additional cars at the service  
of the country.

## VIOLATE LABOR LAW

Factory Inspectors Made Raid on  
Pool Rooms Here Tuesday Night.

Receiving complaints that boys un-  
der legal age were being employed  
all hours of the night at pool rooms  
and bowling alleys in Connelville,  
James Hester, a special inspector for  
the Department of Labor and Indus-  
try, was sent here to make an in-  
vestigation. In company with Factory  
Inspector James S. Darr of Connelville  
he visited several pool rooms  
Tuesday night and found boys work-  
ing there in violation of the law.

At one place the arrival of two in-  
spectors apparently had been expected  
for as they entered five boys dashed  
out by another entrance. The  
proprietor, however, was given notice  
to produce the names and ages of the  
boys and prosecutions will likely be  
entered.

At another pool room three boys  
were found. Their names were taken.  
Factory Inspector Darr says the  
pool room men have had plenty of  
warning and cannot plead ignorance  
of the law. Such being the case it  
will probably go hard with them when  
legal action is entered.

## NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN MT. PLEASANT

Philo Literary Society is Vic-  
torious in Annual Liter-  
ary Contest.

### COMPETITION IS CLOSE

Philo Score Three Points to the  
Euzeleians' Two, Winning Debate and  
Essay; Cheer Leaders Keep Up  
Merry Din During the Evening.

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, June 14.—The  
Philo literary society of the high  
school last night won the tenth annual  
contest with the Euzeleian society,  
scoring three points to their oppo-  
nents' two. The Philo contestants were  
victorious in essay and debate and the  
latter was the big point winner. The  
Euzeleians carried declamation and  
recitation. Cheer leaders for both so-  
cieties kept up a constant din during  
interludes between contests.

The judges were Rev. G. F. Mitch,  
Mrs. E. J. Knox and Rev. R. R. Scott,  
who presented the gavel to the winner  
William Crawford and Elizabeth Bos-  
sary presided over the Philos and  
Emanuel Volkin and Grace Brown over  
the Euzeleians.

The debate was on the subject, "Re-  
solved, That the Federal Government  
Should Own the Railroads," Ralph Fox  
and Elizabeth King, Philo, took the  
affirmative and Carl Ruder and Lillian  
Gregory, Euzeleian, defended the nega-  
tive side.

Wanted.  
Boy, 13 or over for solicitor. The  
Goodwin Co., Connelville. Adv.—  
12-5t.

Missionary Meeting.  
The Woman's missionary society of  
the Church of God met at the home of  
Mrs. J. B. F. Smith on Wednesday  
evening. Mrs. Edward Fox had the devotions,  
Mrs. Elmer Berg read a paper, Miss  
G. W. Stoner reported on the con-  
vention. Refreshments were served  
and a very pleasant social hour spent  
in notes.

Miss Alma Buckner of Port Huron,  
Michigan, is the guest of Prof. and  
Mrs. G. F. Mitch.

### Dunbar.

DUNBAR, June 11.—Mrs. Ophelia  
Koonz of Vanderbilt, spent Wednes-  
day evening here the guest of Mrs.  
Ella Hamilton.

Ed. Farr of Keeler, is visiting his  
aunt, Miss Anne Fair of Mahoning.  
Mrs. Ada Semans and daughter  
Rachel, Miss Helen Haberman, Miss  
Gertrude Gilmore and Edward Kramer  
motored to Connelville Wednesday  
evening.

J. Boreman was a business caller  
in Connelville yesterday.

Edward Hay of Uniontown, was a  
business caller here Wednesday.

Misses Margaret and Anna Doonan  
attended the funeral of their sister,  
Mrs. Loucks in Uniontown today.

William Jacobs was a business caller  
in Uniontown yesterday.

C. B. Holt of Pittsburgh was a busi-  
ness caller here yesterday.

The Red Cross society will hold a  
festival Friday evening in the vacant  
lot of Nemon's on Connelville street.  
Jasper Darnell was a business caller  
in Connelville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins of Connelville  
and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith  
motored to Smithton today.

Albert Black is attending court  
in Uniontown this week.

T. Madden of Pittsburgh, was trans-  
acting business here Tuesday.

### Ohioville.

OHIOVILLE, June 11.—William  
Metzger of Connelville was a busi-  
ness visitor here yesterday.

Rev. Trimmer is spending a few  
days at Hardysville.

Mrs. Mary Cunningham returned  
from a short visit spent in Connelville.

Mrs. A. J. Taylor left Wednesday  
for Condunde to spend a few days  
with relatives.

Miss Lucy Linderman has returned  
to Connelville after a short visit  
spent here.

Mrs. T. B. McClain spent Tuesday  
afternoon shopping and calling on  
friends in Condunde.

Children's Day services will be held  
in the Baptist church on next Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and daughter,  
Helen, spent Wednesday shopping  
and calling on friends in Connelville.

T. W. Fleming who has been con-  
fined to his home is again able to be  
about town.

Allen Rowan was a caller in town  
Tuesday.

Farmers' Club Meeting.  
The Fayette County Farmers' club  
will meet Saturday, June 16, at the  
home of W. B. Swearingin at Grand-  
view Farm. The following is the  
program: Readings, John T. Smith,  
W. H. Bryson, Mrs. A. A. Harris,  
topic, "Draining Land," W. B. Dowds;  
2. "What kind of material shall we  
use in underdraining?" C. S. Freed;  
3. "What is the cost of draining and  
will it pay?" T. H. Smith. The next  
meeting will be on July 21 at the home  
of A. C. Ogilvie of Dunbar township.

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Each  
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TO DOUBLE THE SALES IN JUNE

The Potent Factor In Underselling is to be Able to Buy  
Merchandise at Low Prices.

We bought at practically our own price the over production of a large  
manufacturer of Women's Suits—125 of the choicest new stylish models,  
made to retail up to \$25.00—these together with our own large stock, which  
were formerly reduced to \$12.95, to make the selection still larger, we will  
include these in the lot and sell them all at \$10.00.

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## SUITS \$10

The apex of value giving, beautiful Suits of Gabardine, Elegant Taffetas, Fine Serges and Poplins, stylish models in plain tailored and braided trims and scores of delightfully cool summery sport styles for Women, Misses and Juniors, in a large range of every desirable color.

These Suits go on sale Friday morning at 9 o'clock—come early for these extraordinary value giving.

Wash Skirts  
\$1.19 to \$7.50

The largest selection in town,  
showing washable Dress Skirts of  
white gabardine, basket weave  
bedford cords, seages and novelty  
colored pattern skirting, in plain  
and fancy models, newest yoke  
and pocket effects. \$1.19 to \$7.50.

**KOBACKER'S**  
"THE BIG STORE"  
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\$3.00 Shirt Waist  
\$1.39

You will marvel over such val-  
ues and instead of buying one you  
will want 3 or 4 at this price.  
Waists at less than cost of material  
—Tub-Slits in White, Flesh and  
Pink, beautiful models, some em-  
brodered and hemstitched; all  
sizes; special \$1.39.

### Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, June 14.—Mr. and  
Mrs. S. A. Kendall arrived yesterday  
from Washington, D. C. and will  
spend some time at their Meyersdale  
home. The trip from Washington was  
made overland.

Edward Kerrigan spent Wednesday  
visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Kerrigan  
in Connelville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gaunt and two  
children, who had been visiting for  
two weeks with relatives and friends  
in Farmington, Del., have returned  
home.

Mrs. Thomas Blacken and three  
children of Sand Patch were visitors  
to Meyersdale on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. P. Lange and two children  
are visiting relatives in Somerset.

Misses Jennie Livingston and An-  
gela Reel are spending a few days  
with friends in Rockwood.

O. W. Plot and Edward McMurrer  
have returned from a business trip  
to Pittsburgh.

Miss Annie Courtney of Sand Patch  
spent Wednesday visiting in our city.

Miss Annie Courban of Pittsburgh  
is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lania Mc-  
Mullen.

Patronize those who advertise.

### Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, June 11.—Mrs. J.  
W. Knight, Mrs. Ophelia Koonz, Mrs.  
Ralph Black, Mrs. Frank Black, Mrs.  
Jacob Harshman, Mrs. William Myers,  
Miss Mary Belle Gentry, Miss Irene  
Lois and Miss Lamer Hall were  
shoppers in Connelville yesterday.

Mrs. Clyde Randolph and children  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ran-  
dolph last evening.

Mrs. William Kilpatrick of Flat-  
woods was a caller in town yester-  
day.

The Dottie Nours class of the  
Methodist Episcopal church will hold  
a festival on this church lawn Sat-  
urday evening, June 23. The local  
junior class will hold a parcel post  
sale in connection with the festival.

A letter calling for help is sent to  
Pittsburgh yesterday and brought up  
a Lodge, containing car which has been  
purchased by Mr. Collins.

Watson Dunn of Buena Vista was  
a business caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. D. B. Danner, Mr. and Mrs.  
Clarence Danner are spending the  
day with friends in Scottdale.



**HESTER'S PILLS**  
"Take no other. Buy only Hester's Pills."  
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To Our Trade—On and after Saturday, June 16th, we will not  
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### HURT IN AUTO.

Miss Frances Kimmel Thrown For-  
ward When Machine Stops.

Miss Frances Kimmel of Martin, 21  
years old, was admitted to the College  
State Hospital last night, suffering  
from shock and slight bruises, caused  
when she was jostled forward in an  
automobile, striking the front of the  
car.

John Taby of Leisensing No. 1, who  
was receiving treatment for a bad  
fracture of the leg accompanied by  
Dr. Francis King of Leisensing, went  
to a Pittsburgh hospital for treatment.  
David Miller, Jr. of Elm Grove, 10  
years old, underwent a tonsil opera-  
tion this morning.

Patronize those who advertise.

### GOOD BLOOD

"Blood will tell." Blisters and  
blemishes, like murder, will  
out, unless the blood is kept  
pure. Its purity is restored and  
protected by the faithful use of

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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World  
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c 25c.

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We have installed a latest  
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and are now in a position to do  
this work promptly and satis-  
factorily. The machine is the  
only one of its kind in the city  
and it should make a great con-  
venience to the women of Connelville  
who will no longer have to  
send to town to have this  
work done.

Call on us the machine in  
operation and have us quote  
prices for hem stitching and  
picot edging.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.,  
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### WATERBURY'S OIL Known as SNAKE OIL

Will Positively Relieve Pain in Three  
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It is light on for Rheumatism,  
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Tonsillitis.

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penetrating remedy known. Its prompt  
and immediate effect in relieving pain  
is due to the fact that it penetrates to  
the affected parts at once. As an in-  
stantaneous pain reliever it is the best  
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Accept no substitute. This great Oil  
is Goldenrod color and is guaranteed  
pure and of the highest quality. A  
money refunded. Come to the Drug  
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When you order a sundae at Collins' you get what you ask for.  
Our clerks are impressed with the importance of serving you what you  
order. They don't make mistakes very often.

If you order ice cream in any form, we never fail to serve a glass  
of cold water with it. If the cream gives you that queer feeling in your  
temple, you want a drink.

Our tables are always clean. The clerk who takes your order sees  
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It is these things—little things, perhaps, that constitute good foun-  
tain service.

Try a little Rock's with some of our tasty syrups over it.

**COLLINS' DRUG STORE**  
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**ROUGH ON RATS**  
Unbeatable Exterminator  
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Every woman CAN help by putting her savings into the

### Liberty Loan

and encouraging the men of her family to do the same thing.

If you are not able to subscribe for a large amount, you can buy a \$50 Bond.

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In this time of our country's crisis an idle dollar is as much a "slacker" as an idle man. Are your dollars doing their duty?

"The Liberty Loan of 1917" invites the immediate response of the American people. Every dollar subscribed will help make it a success. The quicker the better.

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## SECOND HALF COKE CONTRACTS MAY BE MADE WITHOUT FIXED PRICE

Deliver Tonnage May Be Entered With Periodical Adjustments.

### SPOT COKE GOES HIGHER

Curtailment in Pig Iron Production Is Traced to Coke Car Shortage and Appeal Is Made to Car Service Commission for Relief; Coal Very Strong

Special to The Weekly Courier. PITTSBURGH, June 13.—Car supplies in the coke region are reported better this week, opening at say 75 per cent, and dropping to 60 or 50 per cent. The United States Steel Corporation has blown in most of the furnaces it had banked at the opening of last week, but this does not give full relief by any means as it has several stacks that were put out for the winter because it was certain there would not be enough coke and these should be in blast now.

So far as the spot coke market is concerned there is no reduction of better car supplies, as the market is higher than a week ago. If the furnaces are getting more coke than formerly they are evidently still not getting enough, and they are more urgent to have full pig iron production as the pig iron market rises.

The spot furnace coke market has been quotable since Saturday at a range of \$9.75 to \$11.00. The divergence is due chiefly to divergence in car supplies on different divisions, coke for eastern shipment being particularly scarce and easily bringing \$11.00.

There will probably be considerable contracting in furnace coke for the second half of the year, but it is improbable that there will be much if any done in the open market, for coke operators will hardly go farther than to renew some contracts with particularly good customers. Hardly an operator would take on a new customer at any price. It is a question whether any prices will be made, even on renewals, for the full half year there being talk of entering deficit tonnages and then fixing prices weekly, monthly or perhaps quarterly. Thus while \$8.50 seems to be in mind as a settling price, it is purely a nominal price for the open market as there is really no likely to be an open market.

Foundry coke for spot shipment shows even a slight raise than furnace, as there have been sales in the past few days at all the way from \$10.00 to \$12.00, some brands not being obtainable at less than \$12.00, while there is some coke at \$10.00, and some buyers are particular as to brand while others are not.

The coke market as a whole is quotable as follows:

### COKE TRADE SUMMARY.

The Connellsville region responded to a slightly better car supply last week and availed its shipments of coke to a total of 361,475 tons, a gain of 16,762 over the preceding week. This marks a progressive gain during the past two weeks, but the total is below the average of the first half of May.

Whatever improvement has been noticeable in car supply for two successive weeks is not taken as a sure guide of what will follow, the experience of the region being that a fortnight about marks the limit of an improvement period to be followed by worse conditions; then in turn by a week or more of better.

A shortage of labor was experienced in several sections of the region last week, not serious, but enough to forecast what is likely to happen in this direction should the weather suddenly arise requiring the region to produce 75 or more per cent of its capacity.

A feeling prevails, undefined as yet, that the measures taken by the Council of National Defense to speed up the distribution of coke, may really lead the government regulation of coke prices.

Spot coke made a further advance during the week to a range of \$9.75 to \$11.00. Among consumers there is some talk of contracting for second half furnace coke without fixed prices, making weekly, monthly or quarterly adjustments. So far as a settling price has been considered \$8.50 has been mentioned as the figure. Spot foundry continues its wide range, quotations being \$10.00 to \$12.00.

Spot furnace ..... \$9.75 to \$11.00  
Contract furnace, nominal ..... \$8.50  
Spot foundry ..... \$10.00 to \$12.00  
Contract foundry ..... \$9.50 to \$10.50

Representations have been made to the Car Service Commission at Washington, on behalf of blast furnace and coke interests, that pig iron production has been at a curtailed rate owing to shortage of coke in the Connellsville coke region and hopes are entertained that measures will be taken to increase the car supply in general, and in particular to make it more regular. Some emphasis is laid upon the latter point, because it is clear that with more cars attempts to make more coke would sooner or later encounter a shortage of labor, and regularly in car supply is essential to developing the greatest output per week from a given supply of labor.

The Pittsburgh coal market continues very strong. A new feature is that slack for steam purposes is bringing more than nine-run, a peculiarity that is accounted for by the production of slack being light for the demand, and the by-product ovens, which are now taking a great deal of Pittsburgh coal, insisting upon nine-run and not screened. The market stands at \$4.50 to \$5.00 for steam nine-run, \$5.00 to \$5.25 for

slack and \$5.25 to \$5.50 for gas, per net ton at mine, Pittsburgh district.

The pig iron market has advanced sharply in the past week, by about \$5 a ton all around. With increased requirements owing to the completion of additional steel making capacity, and restricted pig iron output owing to coke shortage, a veritable famine in pig iron is feared. Scrap has also been advancing very sharply, and for several days heavy melting steel has been bringing \$10.00, delivered Pittsburgh. The pig iron market now stands strong as follows:

Bessemer ..... \$55.00  
Basic ..... \$50.00  
No. 2 foundry ..... \$50.00  
Malleable ..... \$50.00

These prices are f. o. b. Valley furnaces, prices delivered Pittsburgh being higher by the 75 cents freight.

### STILL FURTHER ADVANCES IN IRON

Are Expected Above the Present High Levels of \$55 and \$50, Valleys; Steel Bookings Fall Off.

Special to The Weekly Courier. NEW YORK, June 13.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trade tomorrow as follows:

Bessemer pig iron is up to \$55. Valleys, and other grades are up to \$50. Valley, heavy melting steel has brought \$10, delivered Pittsburgh, for nearly a week. The last \$10 of the advances were at the rate of about 50 cents a day for pig iron and about \$1 a day for scrap. Present indications are that these markets will go considerably higher, on the basis of the pinch being transferred from the matter of finding capacity with which to make steel to the matter of finding raw materials with which to supply the steel making capacity.

It is a condition that has been predicted by some observers for a long time. The production was first heard in 1913, when the question of steel making units was outstanding the erection of blast furnaces. Rather than have idle capacity the steel makers concerned would presumably pay for raw materials the value of steel minus the cost of conversion, for irrespective of profits it would be better to preserve organizations than curtail operations.

Even in the past two months pig iron production has suffered by reason of coke shortage growing out of car shortage in the Connellsville region, and hopes are entertained that the railway authorities in Washington will arrange for heavier and more regular car supplies for the Connellsville coke region.

The United States Steel Corporation's unfilled contract statement reflects bookings 25% less than shipments in May against an excess of 38% in April. The May bookings were made up chiefly of a relatively small government tonnage and a large amount of ordinary contracts with regular customers.

Specific orders for early deliveries, as well as specifications against contracts, have been decreasing in the

finished steel trade and the whole market is a quiet one in point of tonnage.

Buying of steel by the government, or for government account, has not yet mounted into large tonnages, as a great deal of work is required to formulate the definite orders. The shipments thus far are chiefly in connection with shipbuilding.

### At the Theatres

#### THE PARAMOUNT.

"CHERISHED GIVERS"—A five part Triangle production, starring Bessie Love, the Triangle star and "A Reckless Romeo," the second of the series of two reel comedies in which Roscoe, "Fatty Arbuckle," is starred, are today's attractions. So wonderful has been the success of the first comedy, "The Bachelor Boy," and so great has been the clamoring for additional pictures of this class, that Paramount has decided to release the second picture one month after the first feature was shown. Save



VIVIAN MARTIN  
"THE GIRL AT HOME"  
LARRY SARGENT

for Al St. John, an entirely new cast of stars is seen in "A Reckless Romeo," which is the most elaborate production Mr. Arbuckle has ever produced. The interior settings are without a single doubt the most stupendous which have ever been used in a two reel comedy. Mr. Arbuckle is known as the funniest, funniest man on the screen and his admirers would not fail to see him in this rollicking comedy.

"Cheerful Givers" Bessie Love is seen as Debby the daughter of Parson Deady, who is superintendent of a bankrupt orphanage. Humor and interest fill the play. One of the most delightful situations occurs when a band of orphans comes, trooping to the home of Mrs. Gray, a wealthy widow, who sends to the orphanage for the oldest boy, for their little mother Bessie, who masquerades as a boy and is hired by Mrs. Gray. The Triangle kiddies play an important role. Tomorrow Vivian Martin and Jack Pickford will be featured in "The Girl at Home." Saturday, Dorothy Dalton will be starred in "Wild Win-

ship's Widow." Thursday, June 21, Ethel Barrymore, the celebrated actress, will be seen in "The Call of Her People," an eight reel feature of wonderful interest.

#### THE ARCADE.

Lovers of real good light comedy should not miss the offering of the "Camping Girls" for today at the Arcade theatre. This clever comedy is presenting "A Night at Maxine's," a jolly one act farce that pleased fair sized audiences at this popular theatre yesterday. Full of funny situations which are capably handled by the principal comedians, Frank Tunney, as 'Abe Cohen,' and Murray Bernard as 'Herman Shultz.' The leading female roles are very capably handled by Miss Emma Harris and Miss Marie Tunney, assisted by a dancing chorus which is composed of Misses Helen LeMaire, Max Miller, Marie Kaduck, Joyce Reynolds and Lola Scott. For Friday and Saturday there will be a complete change of bills by the company which will present "A Day at Saratoga," a satire on that famous race track.

Next week will bring to the Arcade 'Lewis' Virginia Beauties,' a talented company of 10 real artists in three complete changes of bills. This company has been playing to capacity all over the Sun circuit.

#### ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"THE FRANK-UP"—A five reel Mutual drama featuring William Russell, is the act today. Also a good comedy "Tomorrow 'Whose Wife?' a live act drama starring the famous young actress, Gail Kane, is a lesson in love. It ought to be seen by every girl and boy, mother and father. The lesson it inculcates is embodied in that ancient adage, "All is not gold that glitters." It is the story of a young girl thrown into the arms of a wealthy libertine by the desire of her parents to provide for her material future. What happens to Mary Neville is an object lesson in true love and false that cannot fail to impress everyone. Also a good comedy will be shown.

#### SOISSON THEATRE.

"THE HAWK"—A five reel Vitaphone drama featuring the favorite, Carole Williams. It presents a version of the eternal triangle with little to vary the monotony of a pampered wife of a gambler who turns to another man for love and then goes back to her husband because he has sunk to such a low level when deprived of her services. Also a good comedy will be shown. Tomorrow Dorothy Kelley and Charles Richman are featured in "The Secret Kingdom." No J. Also Chaitin Chaplin in "In Pawn," and a good comedy.

Labor Shortage in Pittsburgh District. A labor shortage is developing at many mines in the Pittsburgh district. This and car shortage has cut production to about 50 per cent of capacity.

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Abandon Food Prejudices. Don't be finicky. Be willing to try new foods. Certain plentiful and nourishing foods widely used and enjoyed in one section are practically unknown in other sections of the country. Learn to know all the good things, not a few only.

People too easily get into food ruts; insist on eating only the food they are used to and refuse to give a fair trial to others. This causes undue demand for certain staples, with resulting scarcity or high prices when crops are short. At the same time other valuable foods may be relatively cheap and available. A striking instance of this is failure fully to appreciate rice—a valuable source of starch—when potatoes are scarce and high. Another example is refusal in certain sections to use anything but wheat as a breadstuff, when corn—a valuable cereal widely used elsewhere as a breadstuff—is plentiful and relatively cheap.—Los Angeles Times.

A Mixup. "Madam, try and induce your daughter not to get her gymnasium and her musical exercises mixed." "What do you mean, professor?" "I mean that she is inclined to mistake the piano for a peaching bag."—Baltimore American.

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## OUR DESTROYERS EXPERT HUNTERS

Flotilla Does Excellent Work  
In Submarine Warfare.

NEARLY EQUAL TO BRITISH

In a Month's Time They Learned Tricks That Required English Two Years to Master—Often Convey Transatlantic Liners Through the War Zone and Are Always Greeted Warmly.

The American destroyers have completed their first month of active service in the great war. They have been favored with excellent weather, which is a big factor in anti-submarine warfare. Most of the time they have had sunny skies and smooth seas, with just enough squall and storm to put their seamanship to test. The favorable weather conditions made their task of learning the technique of anti-submarine warfare much simpler and easier.

There has been no actual battle as yet between an American destroyer and the enemy, although several reports show that U boats have been sighted and have been compelled to bent a hasty retreat to the depths of the sea.

The American boats are assigned to work hand in hand with the British squadrons, being virtually assimilated into the British naval machinery. A destroyer is usually out for four or five days and then returns to port for two or three days while coaling and loading supplies. Thus every American sailor gets at least half a day ashore leave practically every week.

Takes Turns With British. American boats take their turn with the British boats in all routine work of patrol and convoy. The work, although heavy, is interesting, and the American crews have never yet found the handling heavy on their hands. The lookout must be constant, and eyes must be trained to an unbelievable degree of keenness.

The young Americans take courage to this business of doing the dirty work of the war, and daily reports of submarines sighted, of observations made, of wireless warnings sent broadcast, show that the American boats are already making an average of results almost as satisfactory as the long experienced British boats with which they are operating.

An assignment to convey a liner "from home"—that is, from an American port—is regarded as an especially choice morsel. A transatlantic liner which sights the American flag approaching to escort her to land never fails to respond with a great wave of flags and handkerchiefs from her decks, and there is a fine exchange of signals between the liner and the destroyer. Several American liners can already testify to the vigilant work of the American destroyers as convoys. Occasionally a fortunate liner finds herself escorted to port by American and British destroyers side by side, circling about her like twin sisters, a visible sign of the new era.

Ready on Arrival. The American boats were ready for duty the minute they arrived. This was something of a pleasant surprise for the British naval men. It had been expected that some time would be necessary for certain installations and fittings, but the Americans had everything in readiness and were at once assigned to work.

There is a generous on the American ships, and the American sailor is constantly in evidence in the village in which the crews are quartered. In the countryside roundabout and in a nearby city, where modern metropolitan pleasures are available in the restricted limits of this little place. The people of the towns have taken the American sailor and his strangely splendid ways right into their hearts. The American sailor seems always to have money, which is not so strange when it is considered that his rate of pay is considerably higher than that of the British tar.

"The American gets a dollar every time we get a shilling," is a common expression among the admiring British seamen. One of the American sailor's favorite ways of showing his opulence is his habit of always traveling first class on the railroad which takes him from the village up to the city, a trip of a few miles. The extra cost is only a few pence, but the unheard of idea of a sailor traveling first class strikes the populace as a startling and audacious misdeed.

Seldom Fooled Twice. Local tradesmen who expected to find the visitor an easy mark soon learned their mistake, however, for he seldom fooled twice and quickly

## Complete Light Opera, With Costumes and Scenery, to Be Given at Chautauqua by Company of Twenty People

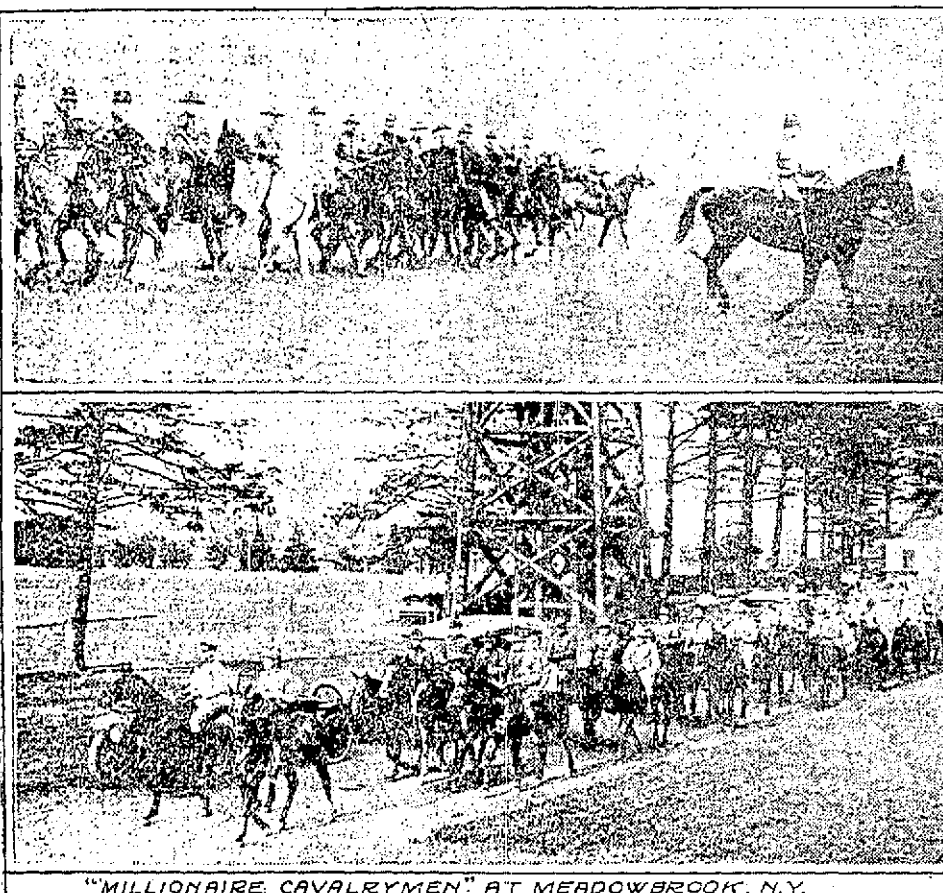


PRESENTING a complete musical play, the Murray-Lane Opera Company will appear here Chautauqua week. Under the direction of John K. Murray the light opera "Dorothy" will be given in costume by a company of twenty people. There will be the principals, a chorus, an orchestra and a director.

Mr. Murray, who takes the lead in the play, is a native of Liverpool, England. For the last two seasons he has sung the leading male part in the operetta "Sail" under the management of Henry W. Savage. He has been associated with such stars as Francis Wilson and De Wolf Hopper. His great fame, however, as well as the fame of Clara Lane, who also is to appear here, lies in the fact that they practically made the noted Castle Square Opera Company, which flourished several years ago in Boston.

This is the first instance where a complete light opera has been given on a large scale before a chautauqua audience. When the production is seen and heard here it will be with elaborate costuming and appropriate scenery.

## HARD RIDING LEARNED AT POLO WILL BE USED IN UNCLE SAM'S SERVICE



"MILLIONAIRE CAVALRYMEN" AT MEADOWBROOK, N. Y.

Men of wealth preparing to "do their bit" for Uncle Sam are shown in the accompanying two pictures, which depict members of a "millionaire cavalry company" drilling at the famous Meadowbrook club, on Long Island, N. Y. The squad is composed of millionaire polo players of the exclusive Meadowbrook club, and they are put through hard drills in preparation for service in the army.

### Wonderful Memories.

Michelangelo had on his lips the greater part of the poetry of Dante and Petrarch, and Giotto could repeat most of Ariosto, Petrarch and Boccaccio. Justus Lipsius knew Tacitus by heart and could repeat any passage called for. Locke states that Pascal knew the whole of the Bible by heart. Lablitz, even in old age, could repeat nearly all the poetry of Vergil, word for word. Shakespeare knew by heart Horace's odes, Cicero's "Offices" and a large part of Juvenal and Persius. Porson, the great English scholar, declared that he could repeat "Hendrick Hudson" from beginning to end.

### Couldn't Get Away With It.

After doctor had removed adhesive plaster and cotton pad from under each heel, patriotic youth in Albany recruiting station was told he was back too short.

### A Toast From the Trenches

Here's to the end of kings and queens, And general staffs and subalterns! Here's to the day when men, grown wiser, Refuse to bow to fear or kingly

Here's to the end of wharfed shells! Here's to the end of war and hell, The wrecks of men, the halo, the fear, The wounds, the mighty flood of tears!

Here's to the end of exploitation, Poverty's grinding degradation, The waste of competition dead, And one grand commonwealth instead!

Here's to the day that is to be, With man and child and woman freed Here's to the end of all autocracy! Here's to the coming world democracy! —Thomas P. D. Gray.

Our deeds, whether good or evil, follow us as shadows.

## MAKE YOUR MONEY WORK.

Get It Out Earning For You, but Be a Careful Investor.

Money is a workman. It works for its owner, while the owner sleeps, and it will work for anybody who has it if he will only put it to work, for there is always somebody ready to hire money and pay for its use.

Let every reader who has a few hundred dollars to spare put it in a good \$200 or \$1,000 bond on the partial payment plan and let it earn something. Five hundred dollars invested in a 6 per cent bond (with the income deposited in a savings bank at 4 per cent) will double itself in twelve years—that is, the \$500 will have become \$1,000 in that time. This \$1,000 at 6 per cent will earn \$60 a year, or over \$1 a week, for its possessor. Even at 5 per cent it will double in fifteen years and at 4 per cent in eighteen years.

The lesson the small investor wants to learn is that his money is just as good as that of the larger investor. The former has greater need of being careful because he has less to spare.

Learn to be a careful investor. The first thing the careful buyer does if he wants to buy a horse, a cow, a house or a farm, a bond or a share of stock is to make a careful investigation. Schoolboys may swap the jackknives they hold in their closed hands, but grown-up men ought to know better. The humblest investor can, buy with as great safety as the proudest, for both can deal with the same bankers or brokers in these days when small lots are popular with firms of established character—Jasper in Leslie's.

## SOLDIERS ON THE MARCH.

Distances That Trained, Hardened Men Can Cover in a Day.

The Army Drill Book tells that trained and hardened infantry can cover from twenty to twenty-five miles a day when in small bodies. As the size of the command increases the distance covered becomes less, as the rate is lowered and time is needed to get all the units into and out of camp.

With a regiment or less of average troops—regulars—marching over average roads, the rate should be from two and three-quarters to three miles an hour, while a division cannot be expected to accomplish more than twelve and a half miles a day.

Of course, all these figures will vary with different conditions of roads and weather. Untrained troops could not approach them until hardened. Though they might do better for a day or two, they would not keep up the steady pace of the seasoned regulars for a long distance.

Marching with full equipment is hard physical work, and, like every other form of labor, requires a proper period of training. The seasoned force will keep up a steady pace, with ten minute halts every hour, a fifteen minute stop being made at the end of the first half or three-quarters of an hour. Green troops are apt to straggle badly.—Outing Magazine.

What a happy world this would be if every man spoke as well of his live neighbors as he does of his dead ones!

## DOGS ARE ENEMIES OF MANY HOME GARDENERS

Nebraska Man Would Have Government Tax on Canines—They Are a Foe to Sleep, He Says.

Next to war, dogs seem to be about the most terrible thing in the world, according to the hundreds of letters that are coming to the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, which is conducting a nation-wide campaign for more food gardens and is just completing a nation-wide survey on what the country is really doing in food conservation.

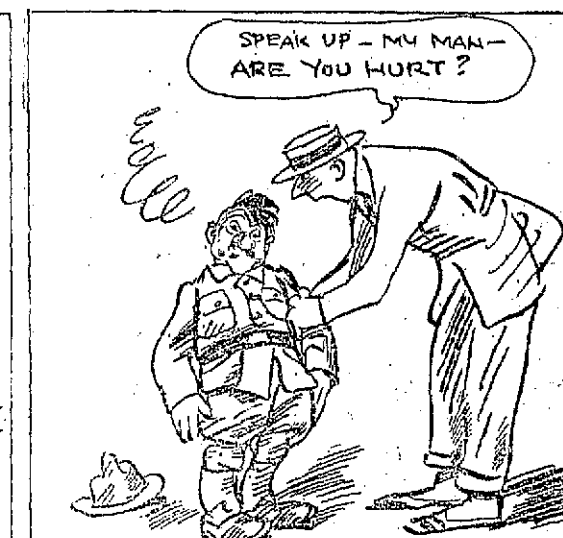
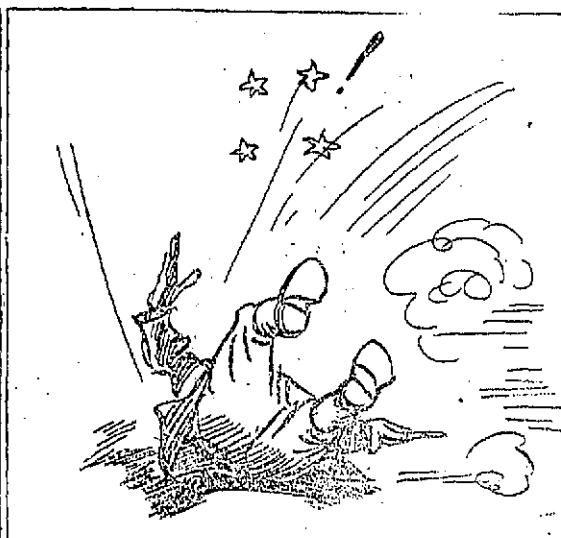
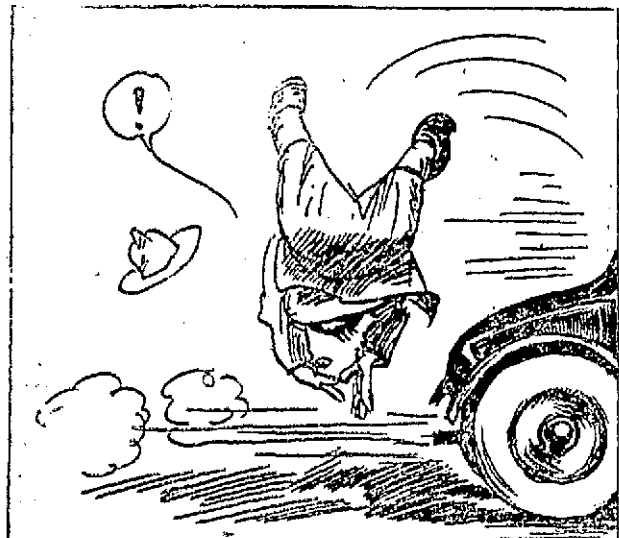
In these letters all sorts of answers to the dog question, if it be a question, are made. One of the latest is from C. S. Harrison of York, Neb., who sends a tabulated account of what can be done with the dog. Harrison says, "Let our 6,000,000 dogs pay some of our war tax." He is for a ten dollar tax on dogs. He of course would save the trained sheep dog. The document tells of the damage done by dogs to children, horses, gardens, and also what good gloves a dog skin will make.

A national dog law is advocated by the Nebraskan, who says: "A ten cent dog in town is often allowed to rob people of \$100 worth of sleep in a single night while he larks at a cat. Sleep is one of the best assets we have. A man might as well break into a neighbor's house and rob him of \$3 or \$10 a night than to allow that worse than worthless dog to rob him of sleep. This should be a national matter. State laws are not strong enough."

Holland and Flowers. It was only after the fall of Constantinople in 1453 that Holland became a gay land of flowers as it now is. Many Dutchmen went to the east during the years of the great crusades, and these of them who loved beautiful things brought many home again with them. Not only did they carry away with them silks and embroideries, jewels, spices, and fruits, but in the bottoms of their ships they brought seeds. When these seeds were planted in the rich soil of Holland such wondrous flowers appeared as had never before been seen in that northern country. The people became wildly enthusiastic over the new colors and scents and foliage brought to them from the east, and in Holland there sprang up a great love for gardening.

The Tambourine. The tambourine of the Bible was the instrument known today as the tambourine. It was used in early times by the Syrians of Padan-aram at their merry-makings (Genesis xxxi, 27).

## PETEY DINK—His Hair Was Mussed a Bit



By C. A. VOIGHT



## INTERESTS OF COKE PRODUCERS CENTER IN RATE ARGUMENT

Before Interstate Commerce Commission Today and Tomorrow.

### EXPECT EARLY DECISION

Committee on Beehive Coke Production Organized with President Cleggman of H. C. Frick Coke Co. as Chairman; Plans Early Advise.

The interest of the independent producers of coke will be very largely centered today and tomorrow upon the arguments that will be made in the Commercial Coal and Lumber Cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington, in behalf of the Connellsville Tariff Association on the one hand and the railroads serving the central freight association territory on the other hand.

The Connellsville Coal Tariff Association is an intervenor in both of these cases and will be represented by C. Andrade, Jr., of New York, attorney. Mr. Andrade's very exhaustive brief in the Commercial Coal case was given at length in these columns last week. Examination March and King of the Interstate Commerce Commission, before whom the hearings in this case were held, recently filed a report recommending a reduction of nine cents in the differential on coal from the Connellsville region to the Allegheny and Cleveland, making the rate not in excess of six cents above the rate from the Pittsburgh district. At the same time it was also recommended that the differential against the Connellsville region on coal shipments west of a line drawn from Sandusky to Gallion, O., be removed entirely.

The Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio railroads having previously voluntarily filed tariffs on shipments of coal eastbound which became effective January 1, and operated to place the Connellsville region in the Westmoreland district, the report of the examiners on rates to western points, if approved by the commission after the arguments to be heard today and tomorrow, will have gained for the Connellsville region practically every contention set up by the Connellsville Tariff Association in its fight to bring about a removal of rate discriminations.

The arguments in the case being the final step in the action begun somewhat over a year ago, the entire executive committee of the association, constituted as follows, will be in attendance: Scott Stewart, chairman; R. M. Fry, secretary and treasurer; J. E. Perry, J. H. Hillman, Jr., W. L. Byers, Thomas McCaffrey and G. E. Lehart. Roy A. Rainey and other members of the association are also expected to be present to hear the arguments.

Somewhat related to this case, but more directly associated with the coke trade as it will be affected by the progress of the war, is the work to be undertaken by the Committee on Beehive Coke Production, which has been constituted as a sub-committee of the Committee on Coal Production, held its initial meeting and affected an organization, W. H. Cleggman, president of the H. C. Frick Coke company was selected to fill this office. The other members are: C. E. Lehart, of the Producers Coke company, J. H. Jamison of the Jamison Coal & Coke company, and Roy A. Rainey of the W. J. Rainey interests.

At the meeting held in Washington last week the work of the committee, in relation to speeding up both the production and movement of coke, was discussed informally but no definite action taken. At the next meeting, to be held shortly, it is expected that plans will be formulated and the details arranged.

The By-Product Coke Committee, another sub-committee of the Committee on Coal Production, consists of J. D. Forrest, C. J. Rumsburg and C. D. Caldwell, E. L. Pearce, of Syracuse, N. Y., a member of the latter committee, is general chairman of the coke committees. It is understood that as soon as these committees have outlined their work an announcement will be made of its scope and purposes.

To Operate Near Rockwood. William Fetters and associates of Somerset have purchased the coal underlying the John Critchfield farm near Rockwood and will begin the development of the field at once.

Who to Patronize? Merchants who advertise their goods in The Daily Courier.

## LIVESTOCK MEN TO MEET JUNE 20

Dairymen and Beef Cattle Breeders to Assemble at Andrew Brown's Farm.

What promises to be one of the most interesting livestock meetings held in southwestern Pennsylvania, for the past several years, will be held on the farm of Andrew Brown, one and one-half miles east of Fayette City, on the Fayette City-Perryopolis road, June 20, beginning at 10:30 A. M. sharp.

All farmers and persons interested in live stock are invited and urged to take a day off and attend this meeting, as live stock propositions may be secured as one of the main factors for the future of Pennsylvania.

The main purpose of this meeting is to create more interest in live stock. The program has been so arranged as to make the meeting interesting to the dairymen as well as the beef cattle breeder. Lewis McMartin, of the American Shorthorn Breeders association of Chicago, will give an interesting talk on "Shortlorns, Their Standing in the Beef Cattle World, and Importance of Pure Breeding." F. B. Hill of the American Guernsey Cattle club of Fairbury, N. H., will attend the meeting in the interest of the Guernsey as a dairy cow. Dr. H. H. Rayner, Prof. W. H. Tomhave, and G. S. Bulkeley of the Pennsylvania State College, will address the meeting in reference to livestock, both dairy and beef, in regular farm operation. E. S. Bayard, editor of the National Stockman & Farmer, of Pittsburg, a man who always has a good word for beef cattle breeders, will address the meeting on "Why Beef Cattle For Southwestern Pennsylvania?"

All farmers in Fayette county are urged to attend this meeting, taking their families with them. A basket picnic will be held on the lawn, so each family should have the usual basket for such an occasion.

Following lunch an inspection trip will be taken to see the 25 head of pure bred shorthorns, 15 head pure Guernsey and 60 head of two year old feeders on pasture. Mr. Brown has a large orchard which also can be inspected should any person desire.

### Baseball at a Glance

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
New York 7; Pittsburgh 3.  
Philadelphia 3; Cincinnati 2.  
Others postponed; rain.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	28	15	.651
New York	28	16	.636
Chicago	29	22	.568
St. Louis	28	22	.552
Cincinnati	28	20	.583
Brooklyn	17	23	.425
Boston	16	23	.410
Pittsburgh	16	31	.340

#### Today's Schedule.

New York at Pittsburgh.  
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn at St. Louis.  
Boston at Chicago.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
Philadelphia 4; Detroit 2.  
Boston 2; St. Louis 0.  
St. Louis 7; Boston 2.  
New York 7; Chicago 6.  
Washington 7; Cleveland 5.  
Washington 1; Cleveland 1.

\*10 innings. †11 innings; darkness.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	33	17	.659
Boston	30	16	.652
New York	26	20	.565
Cleveland	26	26	.500
Detroit	21	25	.457
St. Louis	19	28	.404
Washington	18	29	.383
Philadelphia	16	28	.364

#### Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Boston.  
Chicago at New York.  
Cleveland at Washington.  
Detroit at Philadelphia.

#### PLAY MORGAN TONIGHT.

Davidson Baseball Team Will Then Go To Everson Saturday.

The Davidson baseball team will play the Morgan lineup at Davidson this evening. Morgan does not have an exceedingly strong team and the game will be little more than a practice contest for Davidson. Saturday Davidson will go to Everson where the last team at that place will be played. The Davidson second nine will play the Macomb Juniors at Fayette Field tomorrow evening. The second nine is only beginning the season, but expects to arrange games with all teams composed of young men in this section.

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—Remnants of Wash Goods, White Goods and Linens, 25% to 88 1-8% off.  
—27 inch Cotton Sports Fabrics, 35c to 45c values. ONE FOURTH LESS.  
—36 inch Printed Voiles, light and dark grounds, newest colorings, 25c values 10c yard.  
—36 inch Printed Voiles, lovely sheer materials in gold, new blue, rose, copon and other shades, 35c values 10c yard.  
—10x23 inch Bleached Huck Towels, 2 in. hem at ends, pink Jacquard borders, 10c each. \$1.00 dozen.  
—Extra heavy bleached and hemmed cotton Towels (absorbent) size 18x34, 15c values 10c each.

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—Cotton flags with sewed stripes, printed field, canvas heading and grommets, 4x6 ft. \$3; 5x8 ft. \$5; 6x10 ft. \$6.00.

Standard Wool Bunting Flags, in sizes 4x6 ft. 5x8 ft. 6x9 ft. 8x12 ft. 9x15 ft. at prices ranging up to \$35.

### Free Instructions in Knitting

Beginning June 18th, a capable instructor will be at this store to give free lessons in knitting to all members of the Red Cross and Comforts Committee of the Navy League.  
Women not members of either of these organizations are invited to attend providing all yarns and needles are purchased at this store. Lessons given daily from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 5.

### Join the Red Cross

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### "A RECKLESS ROMEO"

—TOMORROW—

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—FRIDAY—

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